

THREATS OF ARMOR
MAKERS FAILED TO
BLUFF COMMITTEE

PROMISE TO RAISE PRICE OF AR-
MOR PLATE \$200 PER TON
IF CONGRESS ACTS.

BUT SENATORS ACT FAVORABLY

Bill To Purchase or Erect Armor
Plate Factories Encouraged
By Their Vote.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 8.—The private armor plate manufacturers of the country have notified the Senate Naval committee that they will raise the price of armor plate \$200 per ton if congress decides to erect or purchase armor plate factories for the govern- ment. Senator Penrose, republican, notified the committee of the stand of the armor manufacturers, those chief ly concerned being the Bethlehem and Midvale Steel companies.

Committee Wouldn't Bluff.

The committee voted, nevertheless, 9 to 3, to report favorably Senator Tillman's bill to erect or purchase armor plate factories, or both, with a capacity of not less than 20,000 tons of armor yearly. The bill would ap- propriate \$11,000,000 for the purpose. Penrose, Lodge and Smith of Michi- gan, republicans, voted against re- porting the bill, while the seven dem- ocratic members and Clapp and Poin- dexter, republicans, voted for it.

"Can Stop Robbers."

"The threat of the armor barons to hold up the government will not af- fect congress," Senator Tillman said, "and I guess we can find a way to stop the robbers."

The committee also ordered a favor- able report on the bill authorizing the expenditure of \$500,000 to equip the Mare Island navy yard for battleship construction, and \$100,000 to enlarge the facilities of the New York navy yards; also a bill to add 300 midship- men to the first class at Annapolis next July. Both these bills passed the House yesterday.

The committee would consider a bill to appropriate \$10,000,000 for the construction of a naval and avia- tion academy within 150 miles of San Francisco.

Senators figured that if armor manufacturers did raise the price of plate it would cost the government \$24,000,00 extra for armor plate to complete the five year naval build- ing program.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Two national defense bills—the first of the session —were passed in the house without the formality of a roll call.

For some unexplained reason pacif- ist members took to their heels when the question of preparedness came up in concrete form, and inter- posed no opposition to the two mea- sures designed to pave the way for the big building program to be carried by the naval appropriation bill.

One of the bills passed carried ap- propriations to equip the New York and Mare Island navy yards to build superdreadnaughts. The other pro- vided for an addition to the corps of midshipmen at the Annapolis naval academy.

The navy yard bill, which is regard- ed as very important by the adminis- tration, was passed by a viva voce vote. The other was put through by a vote of 153 to 0.

Kitchin Keeps Silent.

All the big guns in the house with the exception of Democratic Leader Kitchin took part in the debate and all declared themselves in favor of adequate national defense. Speaker Clark, former Speaker Cannon, Re- publican Leader Mann, Chairman Pad- gett and many others who are advoc- ating preparedness made addresses while the pacifists held their peace.

Clark for Preparedness.

The debate was notable for many reasons. In the first place Speaker Clark proclaimed his belief in pre- paredness, and announced that he would discuss the subject at length later in the session. Mr. Kitchin, true to his promise to the President that he would oppose the program only in his personal capacity, remained silent and all the "little navy" members re- mained in their seats when the vote was called on the midshipmen bill, and Speaker Clark said he hoped no member of the house would vote against it.

CANDIDACY IS SETTLED?

Washington, Feb. 8.—Close advis- ers of President Wilson take it as set- tled that he will be a candidate for re- nomination.

Clyde Rambo was up from Amboy today on business.

Fire Department
Had Several Calls
To Answer Today

Seven Alarms In Two Days Has
Been Record Breaker
For Fireman

These are busy days for the boys at the fire station and they are kept constantly on the jump answering alarms. While many of the calls have only been chimney fires, still the weather is not pleasant for runs. At 12:30 o'clock this afternoon they answered a summons to the Fred Nichols home on Logan avenue be- tween Third and Fourth streets. Some meat was being smoked in a shed just at the rear of the house and the flames reached the side of the shed and set it afire. A few pails of water extinguished it.

At 8:20 o'clock this morning they made another visit to the scene of yesterday morning's blaze where the Williams' home was destroyed. A blaze had broken out anew under the stairs and a small streak of flame was noticed by neighbors. A couple of pails of water put it out. At 7:30 last evening they were called to the Ab- ner Barlow home on Galena avenue by a chimney burning out.

MRS. JONES SECURES
ENTIRE BUSINESS

PURCHASED INTEREST OF CHAS.
SLAIN IN SUCCESSFUL UN-
DER TAKING FIRM.

Mrs. Celia Jones today completed negotiations whereby she becomes the sole proprietress of the Jones & Slain Undertaking business, in which she has been a partner for the past eleven years. Mrs. Jones will assume com- plete control of the business of the firm and intends to remain in active management. For the present the un- dertaking parlors will stay at their old location, 122 Galena avenue.

Mrs. Jones went into the undertak- ing business shortly after the death of her husband, Royal Jones, who was prominent in the undertaking busi- ness here some years ago. She has made a careful study of the work and is well equipped to carry on the li- teral patronage the firm has enjoyed.

Charles Slain, the retiring partner, has not announced his plans for the future.

WARNS CHIEF AGAINST
BOGUS ARMY WORKER

GEO. A. EVANS WILL MEET COOL
RECEPTION IS HE TRIES
GAME IN DIXON.

Chief of Police Tourtellott received a letter from D. E. Dale, commander- in-chief of the Redeemer's Army, Chi- cago, in which he is asked to be on the lookout for Geo. A. Evans, who may visit this city soliciting funds for charity. The man was formerly con- nected with the army but was let out and the papers he has have expired, and people are warned not to contrib- ute money to him for the army. The Chicago official asks that me be noti- fied if the man appears in Dixon.

HARMON FARM HOUSE BURNED

Residence On Richard Long Farm
Destroyed By Fire Monday.

(Special to Telegraph)

Harmon, Feb. 8.—The house on the Richard Long farm west of Harmon, occupied by G. A. Manning, was burn- ed to the ground Monday afternoon, the fire starting at about 1 o'clock from an overheated stove. None of the household goods were saved. The loss is estimated at \$1,000.

CAP EXPLODED; EYE INJURED

West Brooklyn Man Victim of Acci-
dent That May Prove Serious

Jules Bernardin of West Brooklyn met with a serious accident yesterday when a gun cap exploded, entering his left eye. He was immediately brought to Dixon hospital and he is under the care of a specialist.

SATURDAY
IS
DOLLAR
DAY.

WILSON CONSIDERS
CASE VERY HOPEFUL

LUSITANIA CONTROVERSY IS
NEAR AN END ACCORDING
TO CAPITAL BELIEF

OFFER IS ALMOST ACCEPTABLE

Sec. Lansing Will Make No State-
ment But Other High
Officials Talk

(Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 8.—An hour be- fore the cabinet meeting at Washing- ton today Secretary Lansing discus- sed the Lusitania negotiations with President Wilson; but prior to the conference the Secretary said that any announcement on the acceptabil- ity of Germany's latest proposals was improbable today.

Case Very "Hopeful"

After the conference a high admin- istration official said the Lusitania case is "very hopeful," and it was in- dicated that the President considers Germany's latest offer almost, if not entirely, acceptable.

After the cabinet meeting Lansing said there would be no statement at this time. It is probable he will con- fer with Count von Bernstorff this af- ternoon.

MASONIC SCHOOL AT ROCK ISLAND

A. F. & A. M. of Northern Illinois to
Meet There Feb. 22-24.

The state school of instruction for A. F. & A. M. lodges in northern Illi- nois for this year will be held at Rock Island, opening Feb. 22 and con- tinuing to the 24th. An endeavor is being made to have this one of the largest schools held in some time. On Wednesday evening, Feb. 23, Oscar A. Kropf, R. W. Grand Orator of Chicago will address the gathering. Most of the district deputy grand masters will attend. District Deputy Mark C. Kel- ler of Dixon has received an urgent invitation to attend if possible.

MINISTERS MEET HERE MONDAY

Rock River Valley Assn. To Hold In-
teresting Sessions

The Rock River Valley Ministers' Association will meet in St. Paul's Lutheran church in this city next Monday at 10:30 a. m., and the mem- bers are anticipating exceptionally in- teresting meeting. Rev. A. W. Otis of Sterling will read a paper at the morning session on "How Far Have We Gone in the Solution of the Rur- al Church Problem?" and at the afternoon meeting Rev. D. N. Shot- well of Morrison will speak on "The Teachings of Jesus Concerning La- bor." Dinner will be served at the Nachusa Tavern.

STATE FIRE MAR SHAL
TO MAKE INSPECTION

STATE OFFICERS MAY SPEND A
WEEK HERE IN EARLY
MARCH.

Deput State Fire Marshal Harper of Rock Falls was here today to con- fer with city officials and officers of the Chamber of Commerce to get their co-operation to a general inspec- tion of Dixon about the first of next month. Mr. Harper expects to send three men from his office for a thor- ough inspection and recommend the places where conditions can be bet- tered. Officials of Morrison, Sterling and Rock Falls are in accord with such an inspection and it is hoped it can be made in Dixon and Rochelle, spending a week in each city. With the large number of fires over the en- tire country of late the public is be- ing awakened to the fact that it be- hooves all to have conditions reme- died so as to eliminate any chance of fire.

BOY HURT IN FALL
AT FIRE MONDAY P.M.

DARRELL BRENNER RENDERED
UNCONSCIOUS IN FALL OFF
BURNING ROOF.

Darrell Brenner was bruised about the head and face in falling from the roof at the Robert Moore home yes- terday afternoon while assisting to put out a blaze that had started there. Several boys saw the fire from the school yard and rushed to assist in putting it out. Young Brenner had crawled to the roof and slipped in get- ting down. He was partly unconscious when picked up, but has about re- covered today.

PRIMA DONNA WEDS

(Associate Press)

New York, Feb. 8.—Geraldine Far- rar, the famous opera singer, and Lou Tellegen, actor, were married here today.

THE WEATHER

Tuesday, Feb. 8, 1916

Unsettled to-
night and Wed-
nesday, prob-
ably warmer to-
night.

	Max.	Min.	Pre.
Sunday	20	4	
Monday	10	-10	.4

OMAHA MAN MEETS
AWFUL INJURIES HERE

ALFRED E. MORSE FELL UNDER
WHEELS OF NORTHWESTERN
FREIGHT TRAIN MONDAY.

LEFT ARM AND LEG ARE CRUSHED

Accident Happened East of Peoria
Road Viaduct—Both Limbs
Were Amputated.

Within a quarter of an hour after he had inquired the distance to Chi- cago of persons around the North- western depot Alfred E. Morse of Om- aha was back to the station on a stretcher with his left hand and left foot severed from his body Monday afternoon. He sustained the injuries when he attempted to beat a ride on an eastbound fast freight train. At the hospital it was found necessary to amputate the leg at the knee and the arm at the elbow. The unfortunate man is resting as comfortably today as could be expected.

Morse was about the station most of the afternoon. When the east- bound passenger train pulled in at 3:34 o'clock he was standing on the depot platform. Just after the passen- ger pulled out an eastbound extra freight train in charge of Conductor Harry Grass passed the depot run- ning slowly so as not to catch any of the passengers who had gotten off the passenger train. Morse caught this train and whether he fell in going over the top of the train or lost his hold in climbing down on the bump- ers between the cars is not known, but when freight train No. 254, in charge of Conductor Jackson, follow- ing close behind the extra, got near the mile post east of the Peoria road bridge, the engineer saw a man lying beside the track.

The man was picked up and placed in the way car. The foot was found a rod west of the body and the shoe had been torn off. The train backed to the depot and the injured man was rushed to the hospital as quickly as pos- sible.

The man was conscious when found and gave his name as Alfred E. Morse and said his home was on Twenty- seventh street in Omaha. He had beaten his way to this city from Cedar Rapids and was headed for Chicago. He is about 25 years old and fairly well dressed.

SON BORN.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Buzzard of Nelson this morning.

State Commission
To Hear Complaint
About R.R. Crossing

City Will Ask State Body To Act
In Matter Of Galena
Ave. Tracks

At the city council meeting this morning the annual report of the board of directors of the Kathryn Shaw Bethea hospital was submitted. The report showed that during the past twelve months the total receipts from all sources had been \$21,303.37 while total disbursements had been \$20,661.15.

The matter of providing guards at the railroad crossing on Galena ave- nue near the bridge was brought up and Mayor Schmidt said he would take the matter up with the state util- ities commission as well as the matter of other crossings which need better protection to the public.

KITCHENER TO EGYPT;
DERBY NEW WAR LORD

NO CONFIRMATION OF CURRENT
RUMORS OF CHANGE OBTAIN-
ABLE IN LONDON

RUSS ARMIES MAKE PROGRESS

(Associated Press)

Reports are current in London to- day that Lord Kitchener will take command of the British forces in Egypt and that Earl Derby, who is now in charge of the recruiting office will be made Secretary of War. There is no confirmation of this rumor.

Russians Make Progress

Only in the Caucasus are the Rus- sian armies active, and there they re- port continued advances against the Turks.

Cargo Is Afire

The Swedish steamship Texas, New Orleans for Guttenburg, is making for Kirkwall, Scotland, with her cargo of cotton afire.

French Repulsed

The attempts of the French to re- gain lost territory south of Somme have been repulsed Berlin states.

Camps Attacked

British camps in Belgium have been attacked by a squadron of Ger- man airmen.

ISSUES CITATION FOR
CONTEMPT OF COURT

ORDER ENTERED BY JUDGE O. E.
HEARD AGAINST OSCAR
BOONE.

In the circuit court this morning a citation for contempt of court against Oscar Boone for failure to comply with a court order was issued. At the April term last year in the divorce case brought by his wife, Margaret Boone, the defendant was ordered to pay \$3 per week toward the support of his child, Taylor Vinton Boone, and \$50 as solicitor's fees. The order was entered June 25 and the defendant is charged with having neglected and re- fused to comply with the decree as entered.

In the case of Jeremiah K. Carolus vs. Ray L. Hardesty, the suit was dis- missed on complainant's motion. Judg- ment was entered in the case First National Bank of South Bend, Ind., vs. James A. Roper. In the divorce proceedings of Ernestine Stephens vs. Henry Stephens, the complainant was given leave to amend the bill filed. A hearing was had as to the amount of solicitor's fees to be allowed in the partition suit of Margaret Flanagan vs. Mary J. Carney.

BIDS ON TELEPHONE BUILDING

Directors Deferred Awarding Contract
Until February 18.

The directors of the Dixon Home Telephone company on Monday after- noon opened bids for the construction of their new building, to be erected at Peoria avenue and Second street, but deferred awarding the contract until Feb. 18th.

Mrs. Nancy Hausen of Franklin Grove is the guest of her niece, Miss Edna Nowell.

LENOX KILLED WITH
AXE AS HE SLEPT BY
CAMPFIRE, OCT. 19TH

DETAILS OF ANDERSON'S CON-
FESSION SHOW HE WAITED
FOR VICTIM TO SLEEP

FRIGHTENED WIFE INTO SILENCE

One Blow With Weapon Sufficient
To Make Dixon Man's Sleep
Eternal

Roy Lenox of this city, whose body was found in an old well near Cam- bridge December 12, was murdered by Frank Anderson on the night of October 19, Anderson's confession, made Monday to States Attorney An- derson of Henry county, giving the details of the slaying. From a Clinton exchange, to which Tom Malone, the man who tracked the Anderson's to Mendota, related the details of the confession as given him by States At- torney Anderson, the following is taken:

Camped Near Cambridge.

Lenox and the Andersons, who at the time went under the name of Stew- art, camped near Fulton just previ- ous to that time and were frequently in Clinton. They traveled southward to the vicinity of Cambridge, and on the night of October 19 went into camp there, Lenox intending to leave the Andersons next morning.

Lenox had money—just how much no one seems to know, and he had al- so four horses and two wagons, with full camp equipment.

On the night of the tragedy Lenox, whether suspicious of his companions or being restless, or for some other reason, did not retire as early as usual so it was nearly midnight when he laid down on a strip of carpet near the campfire.

Uses Axe on Comrade.

Shortly afterwards he called to An- derson, asking if he were asleep.

Anderson, according to the mur- derer's own story, was standing all this while in the shadow of one of the wagons, with an axe in his hand.

He responded to Lenox' question to reassure him, and shortly afterward the former Dixonite's regular breath- ing told his assassin that he was sleep- ing.

Anderson then crept from behind the wagon into the circle of light from the campfire. Lenox slept soundly. A single blow of the axe was sufficient to make his sleep eternal. Lenox died without a struggle or groan.

Girl Is Frightened.

Anderson's girl-wife was awakened and called out to know what was the matter. She had been sleeping in the tent. Anderson roughly ordered her to shut up. She looked out, saw the dead man and the man with the axe, and fell unconscious.

Body is Hidden.

Anderson evidently had known of the existence of the old abandoned well on a farm nearby. Seeing that the girl was unconscious he picked up the body of his victim, after rifling the pockets of their valuables and tak- ing rings and other jewelry from the dead man, and carried it to the well, into which he threw it. And there it remained for nearly a month, until a farmer passing by looked in and saw the dead form lying in the shallow hole.

Anderson went back and finding his wife still unconscious, threw cold wa- ter into her face. She revived shortly and was terrified into silence by her husband, who ordered her to say noth- ing about what she had seen. The An- dersons broke camp and left the vi- cinity.

Arrest of Anderson

About three weeks ago the county attorney of Henry county put Tom Malone on the trail of Anderson. The man is dark and resembles a gypsy. He has been trading horses through western and central Illinois for years and has a wide acquaintance.

Malone got on the track of the An- dersons at Green Bay, Wis. He learn- ed that they had been seen at Sub- lette, Ill., and went there. Malone spent several days uselessly before he got the track again, ultimately finding a man who had known him, and who gave him some valuable information, among others that the name of the couple was Anderson and not Stewart and that they were heading for Men- dota. Malone traced them through some horses they had sold.

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Vest Pocket Essays

By GEORGE FITCH
Author of "At Good Old Siwash"
CABBAGES.

The cabbage is a lonely and humble vegetable, which grows fluently and can be raised by an amateur without the use of agricultural reports or imported soil. It consists of a long and thick root which is used as a lunch club by cut worms and a head which varies in size from 1 1/2 to 8 1/2. Contrary to conditions in other heads, the more swelled the cabbage head becomes and the softer it is in the middle, the more useful it is to the human race.

Cabbages are raised by sowing a quantity of seed in a moist, warm place. When the infant cabbage has amassed a couple of leaves, it is taken out of the nursery and planted in the garden. A man can successfully bring up 100 cabbages in his spare moments. The plant grows slowly and when it reaches maturity, it can be harvested by a quick jerk. It is then ready to be transformed into food.

To prepare a cabbage for the table in the most successful manner, first leave a forty acre farm a little distance from town. Then set a cook stove in the middle of the field and turn the wind gently away from the

town. Select a cabbage with good internal development, and place it in a kettle of water, then light the fire and retire rapidly. At the end of two hours eat a small piece of two-horse-power cheese, in order to neutralize the atmosphere around the cook stove and remove the cabbage. Wring the smell out of it, season to taste and devour it. You will find it delicious. The cabbage while being cooked defends itself much as does the celebrated pole cat, but when it is finally overcome it is sweet and toothsome.

In the fall a fine dish is made by chopping a hundred heads of cabbage into shoe strings, and burying the whole in a barrel. During the winter, batches of this preparation can be fried from time to time in a skillet and the result is that sublime delicacy known as sauerkraut. It is not necessary to advertise to the neighborhood that you are going to have kraut for dinner.

The cabbage head is a great lesson to man. It does not swear, nor boast, nor stuff itself full of unsavory facts. There has been some talk of substituting cabbage heads in many departments in Washington on the theory that they could do the work perfectly and could be eaten in their old age, instead of pensioned, but nothing has come of this as yet. Reforms move wondrously slowly in this country.



OLD WOMAN AS DRUMMER IN FRENCH ARMY.

FOR SALE.
\$82,500.
Town of Dixon, Illinois.
4 1/2 % HARD ROAD BONDS.
(Issued under the Tice Act).

The Highway Commissioners of the town of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, will receive bids up to the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon of Tuesday, the 15th day of February, 1916, at the office of Frank D. Palmer, Town Clerk of said Town, in the City of Dixon, Illinois, for \$82,500.00 Four and One-Half (4 1/2) per cent. ROAD BONDS to bear date June First, 1916, payable to bearer, with interest at Four and One-Half (4 1/2) per cent., per annum, payable semi-annually on the First day of December and June of each year, commencing December First, 1916, and maturing One-tenth each year thereafter on the First day of June, except the Tenth Series will contain One additional FIVE HUNDRED DOLLAR Bond. No conditional offers will be considered. Bidders must satisfy themselves as to all questions before bidding. The Commissioners' proceedings and records may be examined at the Town Clerk's Office. Each bid must be accompanied by \$4,125.00 cash or an unconditional Certified Check issued by some Dixon Bank, payable to the order of John M. Sterling, Supervisor of said Town, and Check or cash, as the case may be, to be deposited with said Supervisor, guaranteeing that said Bonds, if awarded, will be paid for within Three (3) days after presentation, and to be forfeited to said Town as and for liquidated damages in case of failure on the part of the successful bidder to strictly perform his contract and pay for said Bonds in pursuance of his bid. Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be immediately returned. In case said Bonds are awarded, the successful bidder shall furnish, at his own expense, the Bonds and the interest coupons ready for the signatures of the Town Officers. Said Bonds shall be subject to the approval of the Attorney for the Commissioners of Highways of said Township. The successful bidder shall pay to said Supervisor the interest that shall accrue on said Bonds between the date thereof and the day of payment of the purchase price.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
Dated February 5th, 1916.
BY ORDER OF THE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS.
FRANK W. FISHER,
W. H. LENOX,
TRYON F. ROSEBROOK.
Attest: Frank D. Palmer,
Town Clerk.

WEST BROOKLYN

Eugene Boucon of Viola township was in town on last Friday afternoon.

How many of you saw the eclipse of the sun Thursday morning? Many of our people were to be seen with smoked glasses from 9 to 11 o'clock looking at Old Sol, partly in darkness to us here.

W. A. Halbmaier was in town on last Friday afternoon transacting business.

E. E. Lahman will have a closing out sale at his home on February 15,

so as to dispose of his farming implements and stock before leaving for North Dakota within a few weeks. He loaded and delivered his corn crop Friday.

Pete Dolan went to Nebraska on Thursday to visit with home folks for a few days and incidentally to look after some business matters while there.

C. H. July was here Thursday on business.

Don't forget the date of the home talent play "The Constable's Daughter" Saturday, Feb. 12th. The young people taking part have proven themselves capable entertainers by their past efforts and if reports can be relied on this will be even better than "A Gypsy Romance" which so pleased us last year. Three specialties will be added to the regular play, so you will not have a dull moment. Reserved seats are being sold at the bank.

C. A. Jeanblanc and wife were here Thursday from Compton.

Miss Kathryn Miller of Mendota is the guest of her friend, Miss Jennie Dysart, of West Brooklyn, this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gallisath of Lee Center township were visiting with relatives and friends here Thursday evening.

Miss Josephine Bresson and brother Alfred have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. August Chaon in town this week.

J. W. Thier was in West Brooklyn transacting business on Friday afternoon. Mr. Thier sold a Buick touring car to a Pawpaw party during the day and says he has more good prospects this season than ever before and that he experienced a good year in 1915 at that.

George F. Bauer of South Brooklyn called upon our business men on Friday.

G. L. Nelles of Dixon visited with his old friends and neighbors in West Brooklyn during the first of the week.

John Untz and son William were business visitors here on Thursday afternoon.

Fred Burkardt of Odebolt, Iowa, will arrive here this week for a visit with his parents and other relatives and friends.

J. G. Conschack and Dr. E. C. White motored to Ashton on Thursday.

John Lauer was a business visitor here Friday.

Nelson Hutchinson of Dixon came up on the morning passenger on last Thursday and spent the day with acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Full returned to Maytown where they are arranging their home four miles from LaMoille.

Frank Chaon was here Thursday on business.

Mrs. Jos. P. Sondgeroth returned from the Lincoln hospital at Rochelle on Thursday evening, being sufficiently recovered from her recent operation as to leave the hospital. She will remain in town with her parents for a few weeks before going out to the farm. Her many friends are happy to know that she is doing so well and that before long she will have entirely regained her strength again.

Jacob and John Henkel were in town on last Wednesday from South Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leake of Amboy were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Oester in our village on Thursday.

Emery Hildman is now assistant postmaster, having succeeded Isadore Gehant, who moved to his new farm home near Pawpaw the first of the month. Emery should prove a capable assistant and his friends trust that he will find his new occupation pleasant.

The second night of the C. O. P. bazaar on Thursday found a large crowd on hand and everybody had a big time. The Foresters have different committees in charge each night and of course one committee endeavors to outdo the others and this creates big entertainment for every evening. Thursday night was, leap year night and the ladies certainly handled their part well. They led in the purchasing everywhere and proved to the men folk that they would not allow any wall flowers to sit about the hall at any of the dances which they conduct.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gehant visited in town Thursday night and attended the bazar.

W. W. Waite of Blunt South Dakota, who has been visiting here for a few days, left for Logansport, Indiana on last Friday where he will spend a few days with relatives in that city.

Edward Henry Jr. and family were the guests of their folks in town on Thursday.

The tax collectors have established their offices locally for 1916 at the bank as usual and can be found always willing to receipt for your taxes. Wm. Wigum for Brooklyn township is here on Monday and Thursday. Mr. Johnson for Viola is here on Friday and Mr. Henschel for Lee Center will be here on Thursday. These were the same days selected by these men last year. On Friday Mr. Wigum is at Compton and on Saturday at Mendota. Mr. Johnson visits Compton on Saturday. They opened the local offices this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christiance of Viola township were here Thursday evening.

Mrs. Godfrey Dinges of Sublette is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Halbmaier, on route one, at the present time.

David Burkardt was calling upon his many friends in West Brooklyn Friday.

Mrs. Victoria Sommer has returned to her home at Tampico after staying in West Brooklyn with her parents the past three weeks.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Sondgeroth was taken very ill suddenly on Wednesday night but at present the child is much better. He is under the care of Dr. White.

B. J. Long motored to Amboy on livery business Wednesday.

February 2nd being a day of much importance in the Catholic world, services were held in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock.

F. L. Oester received a carload of flour on Friday which he unloaded and placed in his warehouse for his trade.

Supervisor U. Grant Dysart and family were in town from Viola on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yerian and son of Crookston, Minn., are visiting for the present with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Gehrig in our town.

The young people taking part in "The Constable's Daughter," the home talent play to be put on here on Saturday, February 12th, are very busy rehearsing and from all reports it will be a laughing festival. There will be specialties between the acts which are sure to please. Miss Flossie Auchstetter and O. P. Johnson will give an exhibition of the very newest dances, one of them the now famous "Charlie Chaplin Twinkle."

Louis Chaon and wife were visitors in West Brooklyn Thursday evening.

John M. Bittner of Compton transacted business in West Brooklyn on Friday.

Miss Gertrude Blackburn of Harmon visited over Saturday and Sunday with her sisters in West Brooklyn.

AMBOY.

Amboy, Feb. 7.—Another member of the W. R. C. course will be given Friday evening, Feb. 11th, at which time the Concert Favorites, composed of Misses Lillian Johnson, Clara Bales and Ada Shearer, will give an entertainment in the opera house.

Dr. T. F. Dornblaser and C. A. Zeigler attended the medical meeting in Dixon Thursday.

Miss Mary Luce has gone to Chicago where she will work in a millinery house.

Mrs. R. L. Jenkins spent Thursday in Dixon.

Dr. W. L. Berryman is the proud possessor of a new car, purchased at the auto show.

Miss Marie O'Malley, R. N., is caring for the infant child of Bruno Reinboth, who is very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Martha Krehl spent a few days recently visiting with friends in Mendota.

Miss Merle Wasson is employed at the Peole hospital in Mendota as surgical nurse.

W. E. Graves was in Chicago the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rocho have their son, E. M. Rocho, of Freeport visiting at their home north of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Moon have moved to the Walter June farm near Temperance Hill.

Mr. Banker, who resides with his sister, Mrs. J. Holmes, is very ill with pneumonia.

Wallace Vaughn and Charles Wooster were visitors in Chicago recently.

L. D. Morgaridge is visiting here for a few days.

The good roads committee of the Amboy Commercial club held a meeting on Wednesday evening, at which time arrangements were made to improve the highway from the C. B. & Q. bridge east of Amboy to the Lee Center town line, and labor for the work has been donated quite generously.

Mrs. H. Appleton of Dixon spent a few days here, a guest of Miss Emma Slaughter.

Mrs. Mamie Baker of Chicago is at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Johnson, who is reported to be very ill.

Mrs. George Gipsan spent last Sunday visiting her daughter in Maple Park.

Mrs. C. A. Davis entertained her sister, Mrs. W. S. Dwyer of Oswego during the week end.

Miss Mamie Barthel of Earlville and Harley Thomas of Pawpaw were united in marriage on last Saturday.

The bride was a former Amboy girl. G. M. Finch bought a 7-passenger auto last week.

Harry Hamlyn made a trip to Rockford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Owens were in Pawpaw recently.

Mrs. John Meurer will entertain the Ladies' Aid society on Thursday, February 10th, at her home north of town.

L. B. Searles has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. William French has returned to Chicago after visiting at the home of Mrs. A. F. Bitterly.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Remsburg returned Tuesday from a visit with their daughter at Davenport.

Miss Stella Long of Chicago is a guest at the home of Mrs. Minnie Wooster.

H. M. Wright is recovering very satisfactorily from his recent operation.

Misses Ruth and Irene Springer spent the week end visiting in Sublette.

John Powers of Ohio was here on Thursday.

Mrs. R. L. Virgil has returned after an extended visit in Sioux City, Iowa.

Mrs. Kate McKittrich of Chicago is a guest at the home of her mother, Mrs. Myers.

Mrs. Frank Morrow entertained at a dine social on Wednesday afternoon for the benefit of the Baptist Ladies' Aid society.

Mrs. William Hoover, accompanied by Miss Gladys Hearlin of Anderson, Ind., arrived here last week. The latter will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Hoover.

Miss Mabel Reid is in Walnut caring for a cousin who is very ill.

Alfred Smith of Candor, N. Y., died Jan. 23 after a long illness. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Addie Gridley of Amboy.

John Gentry made a trip to Clarence, Mo., where he was a guest of Warren Woodrow, a former Amboyite.

Frank Estey fell on the icy sidewalk at his home today and was seriously injured.

Fred Vaughn is at home from the University of Illinois for a few days' visit.

Jacob Wohke of Dixon was in this city today visiting with his mother and sister.

Henry Connors is spending the week end visiting with his folks in Amboy.

Frank Bedient of Bradshaw, Neb., returned home today.

Mrs. James Harkins of Dixon spent a few days visiting at the home of Miss Mary Harkins, who is recovering from an illness.

Miss Ida Huff is suffering from tonsillitis and is therefore unable to attend to her duties as telephone operator.

Mrs. G. Thier of Sublette was here today.

ROCHELLE.

Rochelle, Feb. 7.—Floyd Domer, light heavy weight champion wrestler of America, lived up to his reputation by throwing the Mysterious Conductor in two straight falls at the Majestic theater Wednesday night.

The Polo boy appeared at his best. He used a half-Nelson and scissors hold for the first fall and a body scissors for the final count. His Chicago contestant blew into Rochelle in the afternoon with about a week's growth of beard on his face, with no overcoat, and no gloves. Apparently he is going back for he lost a mat contest before his Rochelle appearance. Domer fractured the Conductor's rib in the second and final fall.

Millard M. Fell, district agent for the Illinois Life Insurance Co. of Chicago, has accepted a position as cashier of the First National bank of Steward. He will move his family to Steward in the near future.

The Titus brothers have disposed of their interests in the bank due to financial reverses. Mr. Fell was a former employee of the Steward bank and is one of its directors. He has had considerable banking experience and should prove a competent official.

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for a new spinning mill. The Rochelle members of Commerce have subscribed for \$3,500 worth of the \$12,500 preferred stock which must be sold to secure the new factory, and a committee consisting of Mayor W. B. McHenry, Col. C. E. Gardner, Frank Carney, R. E. Anderson, and Frank Barker have secured \$5,000. The remaining \$4,000 should be raised in a few days.

The plan on foot is backed by Geo. E. Rutledge of Chicago, former president of the Vassar Swiss Underwear Co., of this city. He has authorized Mayor McHenry to state to the members of the Chamber of Commerce and the people of Rochelle that he and two partners will start a spinning mill in the present Vassar plant capitalized for \$92,500 \$50,000 of which will be put in by Mr. Rutledge and his associates, providing Rochelle people subscribe for the remaining \$12,500. A guarantee of 7 per cent for two years is made on the \$12,500 preferred stock.

Fifty girls would be employed at the outset as the yarn manufacturers interested have two years' orders ahead. Much interest is manifested among Rochelle people as Mr. Rutledge is well known by the largest stores and finds ready sale. The fact that the Vassar stock held in this city when the plant was located here paid promptly such handsome dividends is accelerating the sale of the necessary paper.

Robert Weik and Roy Cratty have closed a contract to open a motion picture theatre in Oregon.

E. R. Taylor left Rochelle Sunday night for Ogden, Utah, to spend some time in the country. Mr. Taylor is making the trip for his health.

Marian Braiden leaves today (Monday) for Ithaca, N. Y., to visit relatives.

Mrs. Elmer Blair of Adelinoe, is a patient at the Lincoln hospital. Mrs. Blair is a sister of H. S. Downey.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Bain have returned from a trip to Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Bain consulted the Doctors Mayo.

E. J. Hall and Dr. C. Summers the team that put Colorado dry in 1914 by 18,000 votes, gave their famous dialogue debate "Wet vs. Dry" at the Presbyterian church Thursday evening. The debate was given before an audience of 20,000 people at Atlantic City last summer. Hall and Summers are booked for six years ahead.

Mrs. J. C. Darling has been seriously ill the past two weeks with quinsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Rogde entertained a company of thirty-two at cards Tuesday evening.

W. J. Furlong Jr. and Jay I. Carpenter spent Thursday in Chicago.

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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Tuesday
A. U. S. W. V.—Afternoon meeting—Miller hall
Current Topics Club—Misses Judd

Wednesday
Kingdom Bend Aid society—Mrs. Joshua Reed
Mission Band—St. Paul's church
L. O. O. M.—Moose hall
Silent club—Mrs. Francis Coffey
Christian church Aid—Mrs. Anna Nettz
Palmyra Mutual Aid—Mrs. Chas. Mensch
Bible Class Supper—Presbyterian church

Thursday
Prairieville Mid-winter picnic—Prairieville church
Community club dance—Gap Grove town hall
W. C. O. F.—K. C. hall
G. A. R. Circle Sewing—Mrs. Aurilla Johnson
Nachusa Encampment—L. O. O. F. Hall

Friday
Mystic Workers—Miller hall
Rebekah meeting—L. O. O. F. hall

Christian Church Aid
The Ladies Aid of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. Anna Nettz at N. Ottawa avenue, Wednesday for an all day meeting.

Community Club Dance
The Community Social club will hold their card and dancing party in the town hall at Gap Grove Thursday evening, Feb. 10th. The Marquette orchestra will furnish the music. The affair is for the members of the club, solely.

Snailoid Club
The Snailoid club will be entertained at 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday by Mrs. Cassie Wilson.

Visited in Council Bluffs
Mrs. Lillian Benjamin has returned from an extended visit in Council Bluffs at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Merriam.

Dorcas Society Tea
The Dorcas Society of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mrs. L. P. Seipel Thursday at 2:30. At the close of the business session, Mesdames Seipel and Baulta will serve a ten cent tea.

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For Miss Jennings

Miss Mary Hintz will entertain at Brookside farm with a shower Saturday afternoon for Miss Lucille Jennings of Ashton, who is soon to become a bride.

E. L. Bob Party

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will enjoy a bob party to the home of Miss Bess Williams. Palmyra Thursday evening to which all young people of the church are invited. Those desiring to go are asked to notify Mrs. Filkins or L. R. Clingman.

To Return Home

Mrs. G. S. Parks will return to her at Hillsboro, N. D., this week after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rhodes of Palmyra. She was here also to aid in celebrating their forty-second wedding anniversary.

Guest of Mrs. Emmert

Mrs. L. Wold was entertained at dinner Sunday by Mrs. H. H. Emmert of Galena avenue.

Missionary Postponed

The Woman's Home Missionary society of St. James, which was to have met Thursday, has been postponed until the following Thursday, when it will meet with Mrs. Luther Burkett of the Franklin Grove road.

At Kingdom

Miss Marcia McWethy entertained at her home in the Kingdom at dinner Sunday a party of young ladies consisting of Misses Ada Brank, Maude Gitt, Florence Watts, Florence Fallstrom, Jeanette Gephardt, Tomina Hilland, Margaret Sadder, and Bess Blackburn. The trip to the Kingdom was made in a bob.

Walton Club

The February meeting of the Walton Domestic Science club will be held in the Sodality room Thursday afternoon, Feb. 10th, at 2 o'clock. The main topic of the program will be, "Farm Produce Direct to Consumer via Parcel Post," to be in charge of the president, Miss Nellie Cahill. Readings and solos will be rendered and a social hour will follow. Miss Mary Cahill will be hostess at this meeting.

P. E. O. Meeting

Chapter A C, Illinois P. E. O., met in regular session Monday afternoon with Misses Judd, Crawford avenue. A delightful meeting was held with all the members except one, present and answering to roll call with current topics. An interesting paper on the National Bird Reserves, was given by Miss Myrtle Judd. Yes, there are such reservations, 67 of them, the most of them islands off the coast of Florida and California. A tempting lunch of charlotte russe, coffee, and rocks was served after the program.

Second Recital

The second of a series of recitals for the younger students of the Strong College of Music will be given at the college hall Saturday evening. Those included in the recital are: Misses Ruth Jacobson, Eloise Thompson, Henrietta Vail, Phyllis Lett, Alma Adolph, Grace Johnson, Margaret Carnahan, Alice Townsend, Anna Keyes Lucille Trautman and Irene Young and Masters Paul Newcomer, Adolph Pollak and Lloyd Stoudt.

Mutual Aid

The Palmyra Mutual Aid society will hold an all day meeting Wednesday with Mrs. Chas. Mensch. A cordial invitation is extended to all members. Mr. Mensch will meet the interurban at 10:30.

Guests at Tavern

Mrs. Louis Steel entertained guests at the Nachusa last evening.

Nachusa Encampment

The regular meeting of the Nachusa encampment, No. 115, will be held Thursday evening at their rooms in Odd Fellows hall.

Stjerner Club

The Stjerner club members report a delightful evening spent Monday with Miss Carrie Smith as hostess. Fancy work, chat, and the tempting lunch served by the hostess occupied them until late in the evening.

At Countryman Home

Misses Ruth Overstreet, Avis Thompson, Myrtle Rice, and Olga Rice, and Messrs. Clinton Mossholder, Irving Countryman, Charles Bishop, and Joseph Crawford motored to Grand Detour Saturday evening in the Mossholder car and took supper at the Sheffield. On their return to Dixon they were guests at the E. J. Countryman residence where cards furnished the diversion, and a dainty lunch served by Mrs. Countryman was enjoyed.

Scramble Supper

The Past Noble Grand club and friends will enjoy a scramble supper Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows hall.

Reading Circle

The Thursday Reading Circle will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. A. G. Ackert, 212 E. Boyd street. The program will be taken from the Bay View magazine. Quotations will be given from Lincoln. Vocal numbers will be given by Mesdames Harms and Read and a piano solo by Miss Frances Ackert.

Leap Year Masque

The telephone are kept busy these days—and we are so thankful for the service—because everyone is talking about the leap year masquerade party to be given February 14th at the Armory.

There will be a grand march promptly at 9 o'clock and this will be a pageant well worth going far to see and will be led by four very popular Dixon people. There will be several Charlie Chaplins, each more amusing than the other, and even better than the original Charlie. The large gallery of the Armory will be arranged for spectators as will also portions of the main floor.

This masque promises to outshine the two previous dancing parties of the same nature given by St. Agnes Guild—with elvish improvement as its aim—and with men and women from all parts of the city and sharing interest, nothing can compare with the enthusiasm which is being evinced. No costumes will be rented from Chicago on account of disappointments and experiences; besides, home made ones are more charming and satisfactory from many points of view.

This is the only time a party has been given in Dixon where interesting features and surprises will be introduced during the evening's program of dances.

Dinner Guests

Miss Lillian Doyle and Arlene Lord were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Lord Sunday evening.

Masquerade Ball

Seventy-five invitations have been issued to the masquerade ball which will be given by the members of the City Altz club Friday evening, Feb. 11 in Moose hall.

Bob Ride

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller and daughter Josephine, and Jason Miller will enjoy a bob ride to Woonsocket this evening where they will be entertained at a supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

Picnic Tomorrow

The notice for the mid-winter picnic of the Prairieville Social Circle should have read Wednesday instead of Thursday as the picnic is tomorrow and at the Prairieville church. We're afraid someone not far off will have to take the cotton out of buy a new pair of ears.

Nights of Sleep vs. Nights of Agony
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Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. D. D. D. Soap keeps the skin healthy. Ask your druggist about both today.

Neighbourly Class Election

The Neighbourly class of the M. E. Sunday school will hold their annual election of officers at the home of the president, Frank E. Ackert, 212 E. Boyd street, Thursday evening, Feb. 10, at 7 o'clock sharp.

There will be an entertainment, and refreshments will be served. All members of this class should attend as important business will be brought up at this meeting.—Committee.

In Galt

Issues Otis Steacy and Ella Crouch returned Sunday from Galt where they had been guests of Miss Steacy's sister, Mrs. J. E. Agnew.

Entertains Campfire

Miss Dorothy Gullion will entertain the Mississippi Campfire Girls tomorrow evening, the evening set apart as the social evening at her home, 321 E. Fourth street. In the absence of Mrs. Gullion, who is attending a convention, Miss Petersberger, the guardian, and Miss Imo Shlhamer, will chaperon.

Classes Banquet

Mrs. Austin Smith's class of girls from St. Paul's Sunday school entertained at a three course banquet last evening at the church. Miss Ruef's class of boys—or perhaps we should say, "young ladies" and "young men" as they are high school students, mostly. Each class numbers twelve but some were unable to be present, twenty-three including the teachers, enjoying the banquet. An evening of games followed.

Birthday Surprise

Mrs. Will Floto's birthday was the occasion of a pleasant surprise carried out last evening by a host of friends, sixty-five who met at her home at the Kingdom and enjoyed an oyster supper.

Detained at the church by a few ladies who persisted in talking to her about "goodness knows what" after the revival service was over, Mrs. Floto reached home late and walked in on the surprises putting a finishing touch to a well-laden table. The best of suppers was served and later music was enjoyed, the Kingdom male quartet furnishing several numbers and others prevent adding to the program. Social chat and games occupied the remainder of a delightful evening.

GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HAIR

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KITCHENER TO GO, IS REPORT
London Paper Says Sir William Robertson Will Succeed Him.

London, Feb. 8.—Changes of great importance in the direction of the war are contemplated, says the Daily Sketch. It asserts that Earl Kitchener probably will leave the war office.

The Sketch also says Sir William Robertson, now chief of staff, probably will take over active direction of the war without interference, except from the cabinet as a whole, and that a civilian of real ability for organization will become secretary for war.

KIEL PLANS FOR AIR RAID
German Authorities Anticipate Visit of Allied Flying Men.

Copenhagen, Feb. 8.—The Kiel authorities have published a warning concerning the action to be taken by the population of that German port in case of an aerial raid.

A steam siren, the warning says, will give notice of the raid with a series of short shrieks lasting two minutes and a similar notice will be given when the raid is over.

House Votes to Equip Navy Yards.
Washington, Feb. 8.—The house authorized immediate use of \$500,000 to equip Mare Island navy yard to begin building a dreadnaught or battle cruiser, the first to be constructed on the Pacific coast in a government yard and authorized an expenditure of \$100,000 to enlarge facilities at New York yard. The senate has not yet acted.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller spent the day in Sublette.

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SKY RAID ON SALONIKI BASIS

Reports Say French and Bulgars Clashed on Greek Border—Rumors of Teutonic Offensive in Balkans—Bluff, Says Paris Newspaper—Durazzo Near Fall.

London, Feb. 8.—More than 1,000 Bulgarian soldiers were killed and wounded in the recent French air raid on Petrich, according to Saloniki dispatches quoting the Bulgarian consulate.

A Central News dispatch from Rome says Greece has presented Germany with a demand for indemnity for the recent bombardment of Saloniki from the air.

Bulgarian troops are reported to have crossed the Greek frontier and driven back the French forces in the first clash of the campaign against Saloniki.

Drive Expected at Once.

It appears certain that this week will see the long-expected general advance upon the allies' base under full headway.

The onslaught will be made from three directions in an effort to prevent the Anglo-French forces from retiring.

The Saloniki correspondent of the Paris Temps sent a dispatch stating that rumors of an impending German Bulgarian offensive are untrue. The dispatch said that the reports have been inspired by the German press with a view of intimidating the allies.

The Milan Secolo says that French aviators report continued concentration of enemy forces on the Greek frontiers, German reinforcements are advancing from Uskup, northwest of Ghevgjeli, fresh German regiments have arrived at Monastir and Austrian forces are concentrating around Techevovo.

Durazzo Near Capture.
Rome, Feb. 8.—Durazzo, capital of Albania, probably will be occupied by the Austrians before many hours.

Austrian cavalry has reached the Arzeni river, four miles from Durazzo, according to dispatches received here.

It is awaiting the arrival of the main body of Austrian troops, which crossed the River Ishmi Sunday after defeating a Serbian detachment. The Serbs are falling back to the south to escape envelopment by Bulgarian forces at Elbasan.

Mackensen is in command of the Austro-German army destined to attack the allied forces defending Saloniki. He has established his headquarters at Monastir.

ENGINE PLUNGES, TWO DIE
Big Four Locomotive Goes Through Bridge Over Wabash River.

Vincennes, Ind., Feb. 8.—Two engine men were drowned when the engine hauling Big Four passenger train No. 43 on the Vincennes branch went through a bridge on the Indiana side of the Wabash river south of here. The dead are: Frank Lancaster, sixty, engineer, of Mount Carmel, Ill.; Oliver Hazelton, forty, fireman, of Mount Carmel, Ill.

Owing to the high water the train was making the approach to the bridge at a slow pace. The bridge gave way as soon as the engine got on it, but the coupling broke, saving the remainder of the train.

Judge's Daughter Ends Life.
Chicago, Feb. 8.—Mrs. Florence Adams Dohson, thirty-eight years old, a daughter of the late Judge Francis Adams of the appellate court, who died recently, committed suicide by inhaling gas in the Adams home, 5724 Kenmore avenue. She left a letter disclosing that continued illness was the motive for her act.

Leach to Manage Rochester.
Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Tommy Leach, a former Chicago National league ball player, has signed a contract to manage the Rochester team of the International league, according to a statement made by President Chapin.

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By morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

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EXODUS FROM FARMS TO CITIES IS REAL MENACE.

The fact that nearly half (46.3 per cent in 1910) of the population of the country lives in cities and towns containing a population of 2500 or more while in 1880 this proportion was only 23.5 per cent and in 1900 only 40.5 per cent, constitutes a serious problem. A detailed analysis of these figures shows the problem to be country-wide.

In only one state, Nevada, was the percentage of urban population less in 1910 than in 1890, and the total population of this state was in 1910 only 81,875.

On July 1, 1912, 29,329,575 people, nearly a third of the total population, lived in 195 cities having a population of 30,000 or over, an increase of almost nine millions in twelve years and one month since the federal census of 1900.

The largest numerical increase was in the eight cities having a population of 500,000 and over; 3,415,392, 37.2 per cent; the largest percentage increase was in the 38 cities having 100,000 to 300,000 population, 53.3 per cent—the numerical increase being 2,106,370.

During the decade 1900 to 1910: The population living in cities having 30,000 inhabitants or over increased 35.4 per cent.

The population living in cities and towns having from 2500 to 30,000 inhabitants increased 45.4 per cent.

The total urban population increased 34.8 per cent.

The rural population increased 11.2 per cent.

The increase in population of cities having a population of 30,000 or over was 7,217,615.

The increase in rural population was 4,251,493.

The increase in population of cities having a population of 2500 to 30,000 was 4,608,583.

The total value of farm land increased during the decade 1900 to 1910 from \$13,058,907,995 to \$28,475,674,169; i. e., by \$15,417,666,174 or 118.1 per cent.

The value of land of farms operating by tenants increased during the decade from \$5,938,560,322 to \$9,450,793,274; i. e., by \$5,512,232,954, or 140 per cent.

The increase in acreage of all land in farms was 4.8 per cent; the increase in the acreage of farm lands operated by tenants was 16.1 per cent, as compared with 140 per cent in the value of land.

In 1890, 28.2 per cent of the farms operated by owners were reported as mortgage; in 1900, 31.1 per cent and in 1910, 33.6 per cent.

The total amount of debt reported on farms so operated increased from \$1,985,995,960 in 1890 to \$1,726,172,851 in 1910.

NO POLITICS IN PREPAREDNESS.

Congressman Mann of Chicago, republican leader in the house, and Speaker Champ Clark, democratic leader, are hand-in-hand on the preparedness proposition, although they would probably fight at the drop of the hat on any other question, or at least, any question that did not affect the safety of their country and its citizens. They have joined forces against the namby-amby pacifists and will fight the promoters of Peace-at-any-price to the last ditch, for they realize that this nation is in a position of peril—greater peril than the mass of citizens have any idea of, and that if anything is going to be done to prepare against the invasion of foreign armies, must be done immediately and with the greatest dispatch that can possibly be accomplished.

They are not placing party politics ahead now. They are backing up their president, and so will every member of the house and senate, with every atom of strength and loyalty that is in him, if he is worthy to be a member of those great bodies and to represent the people of this great nation.

America has been asleep in her helpless situation and she has two much braggadocio confidence in her ability to take care of herself. It is surely true that we can raise volunteers enough to form a gigantic army and it would only take a few hours, but the "army" would be of no use to repel invading forces until it was trained and equipped, and that takes months and years. Rifles and artillery and munitions to equip a million men cannot be made over-night and they would be of little value even if they were on hand when they were placed in the hands of green recruits.

ECONOMY AND IMPROVEMENT IN SCHOOL.

It seems that Dixon is not quite ready for the amalgamation of her two school systems, although we are confident that such an action would be of the greatest value. However, there is one important step that could be taken to advantage and we believe that no one could raise objection to it. That is the employment of one superintendent of schools for both sides of the river. The two school boards could get together, select their man and the two sides of the river could pay their shares of the salary in proportion to their taxable property, or whatever arrangement they found satisfactory. The one superintendent could be paid a salary considerably more than either now receives and the city could still save \$1,000 or more each year on salaries. One capable man could serve both school systems with full efficiency and be could afford an automobile to save time in getting around to the various schools.

THE TEN-FOOT KISS.

The five-foot shelf we have had with us for some time; now we have the ten-foot kiss, the longer kisses having been shelved by the moving picture censorship of Ohio and Pennsylvania. That is to say, the movie hero and heroine have ten feet of film in which to accomplish their osculation. The Netherlands kiss is no more. The clinging, cloying tearfulness that detained Prince Charming till his necktie had changed its spots and her hair disheveled is in the discard. The referee says "Break away!" and Cupid must comply. Ten feet sounds like a good deal of kiss, but at the rapid rate of moving celluloid is winks by as briefly as a view from a car window. The course of true love cannot run smooth, it seems, even from the reel. The lovers must battle not merely against parental opposition, but against D. O. Fingar and company. Artemus Ward would say, "This is 2 mutch" for true love to endure.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Daddy's Bedtime

Story

How Mr. Bruin Got His Short, Stubby Tail.



"I must pull harder," thought Mr. Bruin.

WHEN Jack and Evelyn clapped their hands for a bedtime story daddy sat down and began: "Once upon a time one cold, cold winter day Mr. Bruin crawled out of his cave to go hunt some food. He searched and he searched a long, long time, but Jack Frost had sealed up all the brooks, and Farmer Snoopingdike had shut all his nice fat lambs in his red barn. So, shivering with hunger, Mr. Bruin started back to his cave when he met Reddy Fox tripping gaily along with a big string of pickered."

"Tell me where you got those fine fish, Mr. Fox?" shouted the bear, hungry then ever. "The water is all frozen today."

"Over on the ice there is a hole in the ice," said Reddy, with a twinkle in his eye, "where you can catch all the fish you want."

"Pray, tell me how," roared Mr. Bruin, his stomach twisting with hunger. "Just stick your tail down through the hole and wait till the pickered bite. Don't admit a tug now and then. This means that when you pull your tail out it will be covered with enough fish to last for many meals." So saying, Reddy Fox tripped home.

"Now, Mr. Bruin thought this a clever way to get a fine string of fish, so he dashed for the hole in the ice and soon found it. He squatted down beside it and pushed his beautiful long tail down, down into the icy water. Of course he did not find it comfortable squatting there in the whirly winds with his tail slowly becoming an ice. And every little while he felt a sharp, sharp nip. But, then, he remembered that Reddy had said bites meant a big string of fish, so he waited patiently and here the pain. Finally he felt so many nips that his tail got heavy, oh, very heavy, and he tried to pull it up through the ice. But it would not come!

"That's because I have so many pickered on my tail. I must pull harder!" thought Mr. Bruin. So he pulled and pulled with all his might, but it only stuck faster in the ice. It was frozen tight! What could he do? He could not sit there till the ice melted next springtime. So he pulled and he pulled. Then a sad thing happened—Mr. Bruin's tail broke right off just like an icicle! There was only a little short stubby piece left. The beautiful long end was stuck fast in the ice.

"When Mr. Bruin found it was all a trick Reddy Fox had played on him he was very angry and went home hungrier than ever to nurse his stump. And from that day to this foxes and bears have not been good friends and Mr. Bruin has always worn a little short or stubby tail," daddy finished.

City In Brief

Mrs. Anna Moore and son Ogden expect to leave Friday for Jacksonville and Tampa, Fla., and may possibly go on to Cuba before they return.

Joseph Eichler and sister Corrine went to Chicago this morning for a few days' visit.

William Bardwell, E. Second street, is agent for the Saturday Evening Post. Drop him a card or telephone 393, if you wish to become a subscriber. 24tf

Miss Avis Duffy returned Sunday evening from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Earl Burs of DeKalb.

Miss Isabel Ritchie, trained nurse stationed at Clinton, Ia., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. L. J. Bertoli.

Albert Eckert is ill.

Miss Eva Billig was a guest of Mrs. Knauer of Mendota Sunday. From Mendota Miss Billig went to Chicago on business.

Mrs. Frank Bender who is recovering from a severe illness, is still confined to her bed.

Attorney Zolton Weissburg of Chicago transacted business here Monday.

Andrew J. Lauer and Mrs. Catherine J. Malach were in the city yesterday from Sublette.

George Beal and daughter were morning passengers to Chicago.

H. M. Rasch and William Nixon of the Geisenheimer dry goods store were in Chicago today on business.

Cashier Frank Wheeler of the Paw paw bank spent yesterday afternoon in this city.

John Murphy of Carroll, Ia., arrived here last evening for a visit with relatives.

Miss Mabel Kling and brother Charles spent Sunday in Chicago with friends.

Gordon Tingle has accepted a particularly good position as bookkeeper with a laundry company in Chicago.

Mrs. Jacob Byrd returns tomorrow to her home in Lee after a two weeks' visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Aydelotte.

Miss Azalia Hackman, who has been a guest at the Dr. Aydelotte home for the past month, will return to Peru tomorrow.

Miss Elizabeth Shippert is spending the week end in Chicago.

Miss Mamie McKevitt and Miss Moriarty were the guests of friends here yesterday.

Thomas Richards went to Chicago this morning on business.

Edward Chadwick was down from Ashton last evening calling on friends.

Dr. E. P. Cook of Mendota was a visitor in this city yesterday.

Charles Reynolds was here from Sterling yesterday afternoon.

Edward Chadwick was down from Ashton last evening calling on friends.

Ira Junk was in Rochelle today on business.

Adolph Eichler went to Chicago on a morning train.

Bert Buhler of Palmyra was in Dixon today.

William Smith went to Ashton today on business.

Miss Alice Rice is expected home this evening from Ft. Wayne where she visited friends.

E. E. Downer, formerly of Dixon, is here from Seward today on business.

O. H. Martin has just returned from New York City.

Peter Nelson, Hartman Neff and George Kersten of Ashton were visitors in the city today.

Sergeant John Gaffney went to Clinton, Ia., this morning to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, J. Scanlan.

S. J. Mall left this morning for Dyart, Ia., to attend the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. J. C. Thiel.

George F. Hand, representing the Eureka Fire Hose Co., of Chicago, was in the city today on business with Commissioner J. D. Van Biber.

Attorney W. L. Leech, Fred N. Vaughan and Dr. Zeigler were up from Amboy today to attend a hearing in the county court.

WESLEY KNUPP DIED LATE TODAY

Passed Away At His Home on Fourth Street This Afternoon.

Wesley Knupp, 813 Fourth street, passed away at his home at about 3 o'clock this afternoon after a short illness. Funeral arrangements and obituary will be published later.

FIFTH Foe BROUGHT DOWN

Young French Aviator Decorated for Success Against Germans.

Paris, Feb. 8.—Sergeant Pilot Gaynemer, twenty-one years old, of the French flying corps, has just brought down his fifth German adversary and has been mentioned for his exploit in an official communication.

Previously he had been decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor, the war cross and the military medal.

Villa Is Put on Defensive.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 8.—General Francisco Villa, with about twenty-five men, is on the defensive in Nidos canyon of the Santa Clara ranch, according to official advices received at military headquarters in Juarez.

Chicagoan Dies in Snow.

Beloit, Wis., Feb. 8.—After lying two days in a snow drift at Capron, Ill., near here, the body of Henry Wolsverson, traveling salesman of Chicago, was found by Mrs. Bert Burley of Capron.

FIGURE IN APPAM CASE

These Men Had Much to Say About the Public Ship.



Photo by American Press Association.

In the center of the group is Col. J. C. Hamilton, who carried United States release order; on the top German Vice Consul Von Schelling and on the bottom is Prince von Hatzfeldt.

MRS. JOSEPH NEWCOMER DEAD

Mother of F. N. Newcomer. Of This City Passes Away at Leaf River

Mrs. Joseph Newcomer, the mother of Francis X. Newcomer of this city, died at her home in Leaf River yesterday. Mr. Newcomer was called there yesterday but failed to arrive before her death. Mrs. Newcomer left this morning for Leaf River. The deceased had been ill for a number of months and for a time was in the Freeport hospital for treatment, but was removed to her home several weeks ago, apparently improved.

SAYS WOMEN CAN VOTE IN APRIL

Chicago Attorney Opines They May Vote for National Delegates.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—Chicago women may vote for delegates to the national convention at the April primaries according to an opinion given to the Chicago board of election commissioner, by Attorney Fyffe. A contrary ruling, state, has been given by Attorney General Lucey and an appeal to the courts to prevent confusion is expected.

MEXICANS SOAKED.

Two Mexicans were arraigned in police court this morning on charges of drunkenness. They plead guilty and were fined \$3 and costs by Justice A. H. Hanneken.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

George Halbmaier—Brooklyn. Carrie Hribesh—Brooklyn.

DENOUNCING MEDICINES

Wholesale denunciation of proprietary medicines is no more justifiable than wholesale denunciation of the medical profession. It is no more true that there are reputable physicians who unselfishly devote their lives to an unending struggle with disease than that there are standard remedies which do as good a work often where the work of the good physician cannot reach. A good example is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which has for forty years been alleviating the sufferings of women and curing the ills peculiar to their sex.

NELSON

Nelson, Feb. 7.—Services were conducted at the Nelson school house Sunday by Rev. Louis Lott.

Mrs. W. M. Phillips returned Sunday afternoon from a visit of several days in Clinton, Ia., with Mrs. Laura Moores and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stitzel attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna Blair in Sterling Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Ortgiesen and three children went to Chicago Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Ortgiesen's parents, and other relatives.

Mrs. M. Bennett of Dixon was the guest of her daughter Mrs. Fred Cox well and family, Friday and Saturday.

Misses Helen and Esther Gebhardt of Sterling spent Sunday afternoon with their brother, D. L. Gebhardt and wife.

Mrs. John McCoy and daughter Virginia, will go to Rockford Wednesday to visit Mrs. McCoy's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Janssen and son Wayne of Rock Falls visited at the John Janssen home Sunday.

FED LEAGUE SUIT IS DISMISSED BY LANDIS

Rival Circuits Agree to End Costly Controversy.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—Judge Landis of the United States district court acted favorably on the motion of the litigants to withdraw the suit for dissolution of organized baseball brought by the Federal league, thus closing the last chapter in the costly baseball war that for two years played havoc with the game. The Baltimore Federal league club was represented by Stuart S. Janney, who informed the court that his client interposed no objection to the withdrawal of the suit. The American and National leagues were represented by S. L. Swarts of St. Louis and Harold P. Weber of Chicago.

In giving his decision Judge Landis said he had withheld his decision for the good of the game and incidentally paid a high tribute to the national pastime. He said there was no evidence impeaching the honesty of the game and players, despite the fact that the United States had been literally combated by both sides for testimony and facts that would blacken or weaken the opposition.

MINISTERS ASSN. CHOOSE OFFICERS

New Officials Were Elected at Regular Meeting Monday.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the meeting Monday of the Ministerial association of the city in its regular monthly session at the Y. M. C. A. Rev. A. J. Holland was selected as president, Rev. E. C. Lumsden, vice president and Rev. C. H. Day, secretary-treasurer. Resolutions were also voted at this meeting regretting the coming departure of Secretary E. T. Bailey.

COMPANY G DRILL

The regular drill of company G this evening will be one of importance and all members are ordered to attend.

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETING

The Christian church cottage prayer meeting for the week will be held tomorrow evening with Mrs. Wm. Freese, 713 W. First street, with Mrs. Dixon as leader and with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stauffer, 313 E. Fellows, with Mr. Stauffer as leader. The subject for both will be "Consecration."

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THIS DAY IN ILLINOIS HISTORY

February 8, 1849—The legislature enacted a general law authorizing the establishment of boards of trade in Illinois.

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Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE

Tonight the Princess theatre will show a 3-reel Rialto star feature entitled "The Ace of Death" with Stella Hammerstein and an all star cast of Rialto players. This feature abounds in spectacular stage settings and the story is one of the most sensational ever seen in this city. The comedy for the evening is a Cub entitled "Dr. Jerry," with George Ovey, the funniest man in America, in the leading role. Dr. Jerry is full of life and ginger in which George Ovey is seen with one of his funniest ventures. On Wednesday night a two reel Keystone comedy entitled "When Ambrose Dared Walrus" will be shown, together with another feature called "The Cactus Blossom," a feature which has exceptional merit.

OPERA HOUSE

John Winninger, associated this season with his brothers, Frank and Adolph, after five years' at the head of his own company and in stock in the east, is an actor whose serious roles are not hampered by the dramatic lines of funmaking of his popular brother Frank, the well known German comedian. In the repertoire of seven plays to be produced by Winningers during their engagement at Dixon opera house this week, there is a vast deal of human sorrow, weakness and gladness crowded into the two and a half hours each evening. Gladness is the quantity, but sorrow is the quality, not that laughter is without the latter but from a dramatic standpoint the pathos done by John Winninger is so well done that its remembrance will be long.

The feminine members of the company of 25, owned and managed this season by Frank Winninger, include Jane Allen, Eda Wilde, Katherine Givney, Marie Myshka, Florence Smith, Minnie Madutz, Katherine Hall, Alma King and Grace Wilcox.

Earl Young, who made such a hit last season with Winninger Varieties in his singing of rag time songs, has a large repertoire of the latest syncopated tunes and will be heard several times every night during the stay of the company.

ALL CHILDREN LOVE
"SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR
LIVER AND BOWELS

Give it when feverish, cross, bilious, for bad breath or sour stomach

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

the Winningers in Dixon.

FAMILY THEATRE

The World Film corporation presents the five part photoplay "The Sins of Society" based on the famous Brady success which held the stage a few years ago. It will be shown at the Family theatre.

Robert Warwick in this photoplay, has a part his many admirers will delight to see him in. When it is realized that the character is one which brings out none but the manliest attributes, which allows Warwick to brave dangers, rescue beauty in distress, defeat villainy and do other heroic acts of a picturesque character, the movie fan knows that a Warwick photodrama entirely after his own heart is on the way.

For it has been established that Robert Warwick in parts that bring out manliness, heroism and good looks is without a peer in the motion picture field today. "The Sins of Society" is one of those pictures which gives Warwick such a part.

There are scenes on the race track and the river, troop ship drilling, torpedo attacks and a great many others, giving variety and excitement to the picture.

Oscar Eagle directed the picture in which Alec B. Francis and Frances Nelson are cast.

"A PAIR OF SILK STOCKINGS" AT THE PRINCESS THEATRE, CHICAGO.

The Princess theatre is having for its current attraction, "A Pair of Silk Stockings," one of the brightest and most refreshing comedies that has been seen in Chicago in many seasons.

No play in recent years has received from the reviewers such unstinted praise and they have advised those that love a play perfectly acted and perfectly presented, to journey to the Clark street playhouse to see this delicious bit of farce that is playing to capacity business.

The story of the play has to do with English gentilefolk and the author has set his play in one of their country houses where a week end party is being held.

Sam Thornhill and his wife have disagreed over the make of automobile that is to be purchased and become divorced, neither one of them is quite satisfied and both are looking for an opportunity for a reconciliation.

Sam has been invited down to spend the week end and is trying to drown his sorrows with innumerable brandies and sodas, when his wife, Molly, who has come down by train—but tells the hostess that her automobile has broken down, and that she must be "put up"—appears on the scene. Molly, before marrying Sam has had a love affair with a dashing young army officer who also appears on the scene, in fact is found in her bedroom late at night much to the discomfort of the host and hostess, and also that of her husband, who has been dragged out of her wardrobe, he is mistaken for a burglar as he is in theatrical make-up thoroughly disguised.

Sam is thrown into his wife's bath room, but when they come to look for him to straighten out the tangle, he is missing.

There are many ludicrous and funny situations, but while they lead up very close, the bounds of propriety are never overstepped, which is due to the skill of the dramatist, player and producer.

The cast is headed by Sam Sothern, who has no superior as a comedian. Eva Leonard-Boyne is his leading woman who is so cheerfully remembered for her characterization in "Fanny's First Play." Others in the cast are Alison Skipworth, Lillian Campbell, Gladys Knorr, Sybil Carlisle P. Clayton Green, Edward Douglas Wallace Erskine and others.

KINGDOM REVIVALS HAVE BEGUN

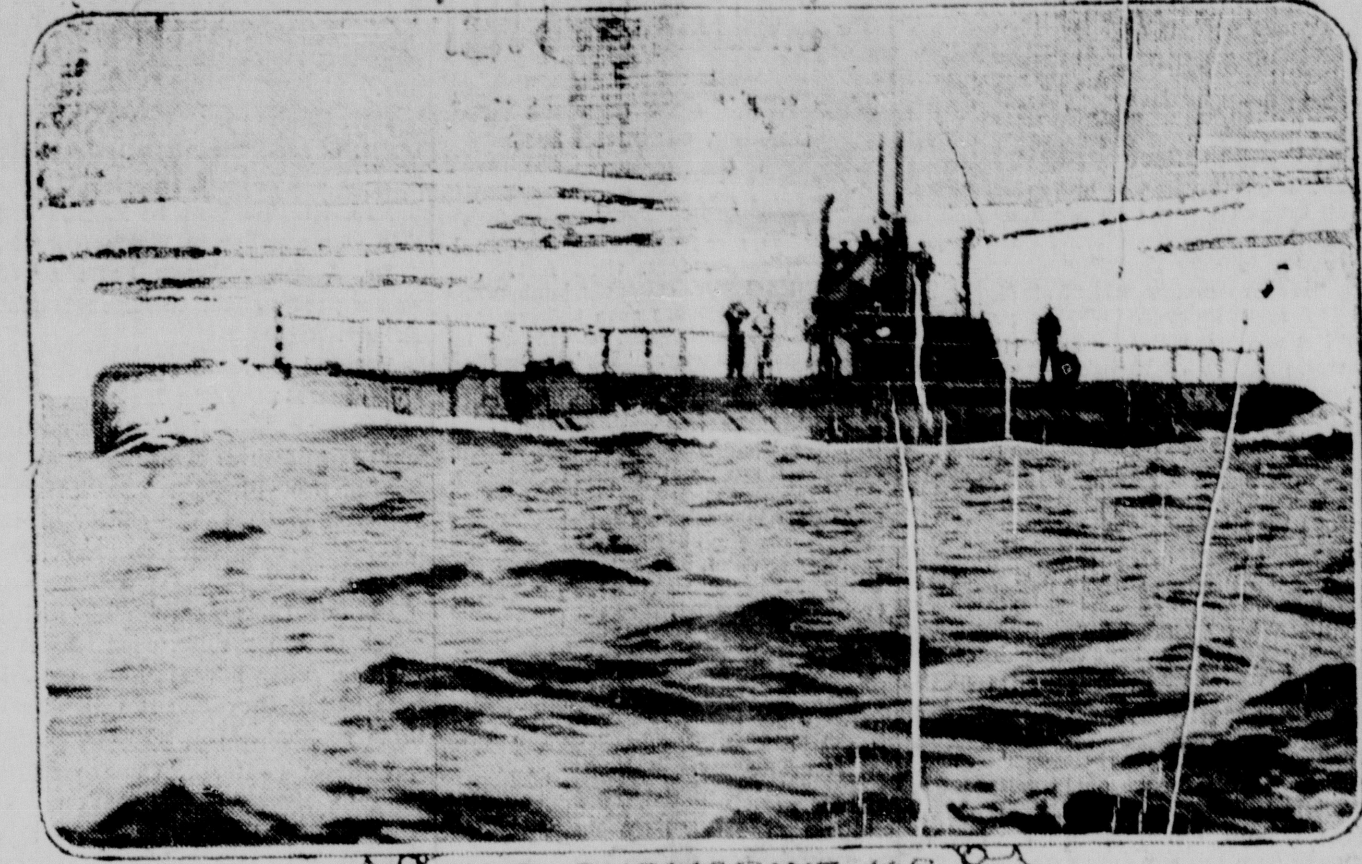
Big Congregation Attended the First Meeting Sunday Evening.

The Kingdom church Sunday evening was well filled at the beginning of the revivals, which will continue during the week. Evangelist T. Z. Davis gave a sermon full of spiritual power and uplift. The song service under the direction of the choir leader, George McWethy, was equally impressive. A special number was a duet given by Misses Marcia McWethy and Ora Flo-to. Musical treats have been arranged for every night of the services, which open at 7:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

TO CONVENTION

T. J. Gullion left today for Madison, as a representative of the Crafts-Leich Electric Co., to attend the Wisconsin state telephone convention. Mrs. Gullion will go tomorrow and will remain until Friday.

SUBMARINE K-5, REPORTED MISSING ON WAY FROM NEW YORK TO PENSACOLA



U.S. SUBMARINE K-5

[Reports reaching Charleston, S. C., said that the K-5, one of the four submarines of the K type en route from the New York navy yard to Pensacola, Fla., was missing. A report from Washington told the country that one of the four submarines of the K type, a member of a flotilla of four submarines en route from the New York navy yard to Pensacola, was "lost in the fog." The submarine tender Tallahassee and three other submarines of the K type arrived safely off the bar at Charleston, S. C. Submersibles of the K type have been the "crack" type of such vessels in the United States navy and only recently four of them, in a voyage from San Francisco to Honolulu, established records for long distance sailing. Accidents to the submarines of the K class have been infrequent. They were authorized by congress in 1906 and 1911.]

LENOX KILLED WITH AXE WHILE SLEEPING

When Malone got to Mendota he satisfied himself that the fugitive was there. He then visited the police station and told his story to the chief, asking him to go out and arrest Anderson and his wife. Soon the couple were brought to the police station, where Malone confronted them.

Malone Recognized Him.

Malone stepped forward and said, "Hello, Frank," to the trader. The latter returned the greeting, but remarked that he was at a disadvantage—that he knew Malone's face but could not remember his name.

"Don't you remember having met me in Clinton on October 9th, Frank?" Malone continued.

The trader thought a moment, then called Malone by name, and acknowledged he had met him in that city about that time, and that he had been with Roy Lenox.

Malone asked Anderson if he had heard that Lenox had been killed by a man in Peoria. "No, but I heard his body had been found in a well near Cambridge," Anderson answered calmly.

Malone asked him if he had any rings. He said he had two or three, but in answer to questions declared he could not remember where he got them. At length he acknowledged one of them had been Lenox's but said he had traded for it. Anderson answering further questions, declared he had last seen Lenox in Bottle Alley saloon in Peoria, but later acknowledged he had parted from him at the camp south of Cambridge. He got badly tangled up in answering questions as to the number of horses he had and the number Lenox owned.

Anderson in Confession

Malone, having caused the arrest of the prisoner, considered his duty done and returned to Clinton. Then he learned that Anderson had made a full confession.

He claims he is married to the young girl who has been traveling over the country with him. Her name formerly was Bessie Tracy, and her father lives at Decatur.

After her arrest the girl told her story to the police, informing them that Lenox had been murdered by her husband, and describing the tragedy in detail. When Anderson learned this he broke down and made a complete confession of it, his story clearing the girl whom he declared he had terrified into submission and silence.

Born on Road.

Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy, are camping this winter at Decatur. She is a frail little thing but wiry and hardy in spite of that, and is typical of the gypsy women of the horse trading clan. She smokes her pipe as regularly as does her husband, and she can drive and ride with the best of them. Her education, however, in things outside of the "moving wagon," has been neglected. Born on the road, she has grown up in the open and has not had one day's schooling in her life. Although but 18 she has been married for some years to Anderson.

Anderson is 19 years older than his wife. A swarthy complexion, coarse, black hair, poorly kept, a full face, a body rather short but stout, his physiognomy betrays the life of leisure and careless freedom. His face is smooth shaven and the small black eyes are cold and unemotional as a pair of glass beads.

DUIS ELIMINATED IN CITY LEAGUE TOURNEY

PETERS MEN PUSHED THEM OUT OF RACE IN MONDAY EVE BOWLING GAMES.

CONTEST ENDS THURSDAY EVE

Duis' team in the city bowling league lost all change of winning in the tournament when they dropped two of three games Monday evening to the Peters men. This places Peters' team a game ahead of Hoberg's men and the final game will be played Thursday night between Lynds' and Hoberg's teams. The latter must take two of three games to win and by taking but one will be tied with Peters team.

Team Standings.

	Won	Lost
Peters	14	13
Hoberg	13	11
Duis	13	14
Lynds	11	13

Scores last night:

Duis.

Duis	209	157	130
Sideman	148	171	147
Leivan	135	179	193
Kelley	166	160	131
Gonnerman	124	132	140
	782	799	789

Peters.

Boers	164	158	186
Peters	161	178	157
Devine	176	122	153
L. Poole	176	161	148
W. Poole	137	138	178
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MILES EXPRESSES FEELINGS

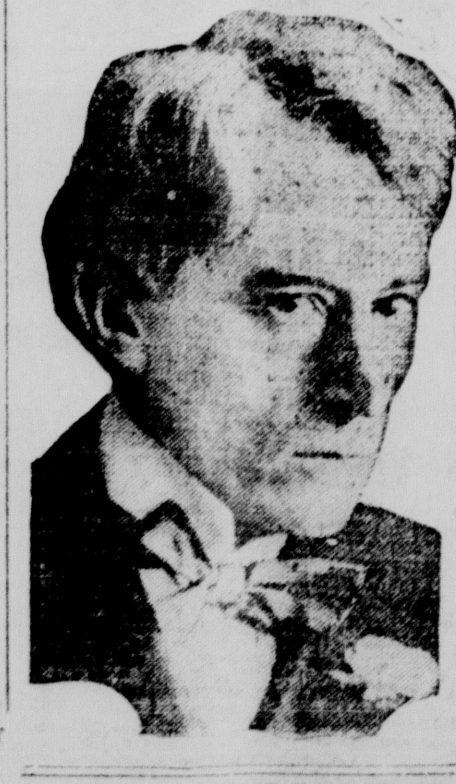
(Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 8.—Before the congressional military committee today, Gen. Nelson A. Miles, retired, denounced the continental army plan, but favored the national guard. "You can not Germanize American citizens," he said in speaking of the continental plan.

Mrs. Henry Dixon returned today from Notre Dame.

JUDGE LANDIS

He Orders the Fed League Suit Dismissed by Agreement.



OBITUARY

MRS. GEO. PANNBACHER

Albert Juelfs has received word of the death of his youngest sister, Mrs. George Pannbacher, which occurred at her home in Hanover, Kas. Mrs. Pannbacher has been in poor health for the past few years.

The decedent will be remembered as Mary Juelfs who was brought up on the old Juelfs farm on the Franklin Grove road, a few miles east of town. She was married about thirty years ago to Mr. Pannbacher and moved to Hanover, where she has since resided. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, one son—Christiana and Eva at home. Ernest residing near the home, one grandchild; one, sister, Mrs. Bernard Johnson of Rock Falls, five brothers, Albert Juelfs of this city, Chris of Mexico, Mo.; Herman of Minnesota, Jacob of Idaho Grove, Ia., and Julius.

The funeral will be held Wednesday, Mr. Juelfs left for Hanover, last evening to attend.

HEARING ON PETITION

In the county court this afternoon hearing was had by jury on a petition for the removal of conservator and restoration of his rights made by Wm. Webster of Amboy. Attorney Wm. L. Leech appeared for the petitioner and States Attorney Edwards represented the people.

GRAND DETOUR

Grand Detour, Feb. 7.—Mrs. A. Tholen spent Tuesday with Mrs. Will Palmer.

Arthur Sheffield and wife spent last week here with his parents.

Amber Tholen came home Wednesday from a two weeks' visit with friends at Dysart, al.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cox of Oregon spent Wednesday night at the home of their son Jerome, and Thursday visited at the James Merritt home.

Will Palmer and Dale Lambert drove to Oregon Wednesday on business.

J. D. Portner hauled rye to Dixon Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Lee Mon entertained the R. C. Circle Wednesday afternoon, the event being very pleasant.

This school children gave a party in the hall Wednesday night. A supper was served and all had a good time.

Mrs. Mary French has moved from her daughter's Mrs. Mon, to her own home.

Mrs. Parks of South Dakota visited a few days last week at the Alfred Parks home.

Mrs. Ella Reese spent Wednesday with Mrs. Rosbrook.

Mrs. Caroline Remmers came home from Dixon Thursday and is now with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Tholen.

The Aid society had an all day meeting at the hall Thursday.

Misses Elsie and Gladys Remmers and Mrs. T. F. Rosbrook spent Friday in Dixon with Mrs. Henry Bott.

Mrs. C. A. Sheffield was a Dixon visitor Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles England gave a party at the hall Friday night in celebration of her husband's birthday. Games were played and a scramble supper added to the enjoyment of the guests.

Dr. Pankhurst was a business visitor in Dixon Friday.

Amber Tholen drove to Oregon Friday afternoon to attend the school play.

A Few February Needs

Winter presents unusual demands and must be met with unusual products. We offer a list of special February preparations, and articles, each and every one of which is particularly adapted to this month and the combination of which is a very complete emergency outfit without additions. It would pay you to try any and all of these goods and preparations on our guarantee that they are all we represent them and that they are sold at the very lowest prices, quality considered.

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PIDGIN ISLAND

By HAROLD MACGRATH

SYNOPSIS.

Cranford, an international secret agent, back from Europe, decides to go fishing at Pidgin Island. He does not know that Diana, a handsome young girl, has already arrived there.

Smead, a jewel smuggler, instructs his son to "get" Cranford, who has broken up the father's illicit business. They learn about his fishing trip.

Cranford meets Diana (Miss Wynne) and learns that she knows Uncle Billy, guide and fisherman, very well. Cranford gets a telegram stating that his rooms at home had been entered and looted.

Cranford and Diana meet at the end of a fishing expedition. The girl becomes greatly excited when she sees a power boat approaching Pidgin Island.

Cranford and Diana become better acquainted. They become rivals as to who can catch the most and the largest fish. Uncle Billy becomes an admirer of each of them.

CHAPTER VII.

A Chip of the Old Block. MIGHTY thumping followed this act of the delighted Uncle Billy. Here was a fish worth mousing. "Four and three-quarters."

But Cranford did not hear him. He was watching the girl, the girl of his idle dreams, the girl he had always known to be somewhere among the millions, made for him, helpmeet in sorrow, comrade in joy, wife. Young and strong and brave; scarlet lipped, brown eyed, lithe.

Till this spectacular moment he had not known; but now he knew that when she had entered Uncle Billy's boathouse that stormy morning ten days ago she had also entered his life, never to go out of it.

Diana! Who she really was did not matter. Where she had come from, still less. He loved her.



"Hold him now! Make him fight you."

Day after day the perfect September weather had held; day after day they had fished and hunted and eaten shore dinner together, and day after day some new charm, some fresh angle of beauty, had been disclosed to him. Romance!

"I can't budge him!" she panted. Shubbing did no good.

Presently the fish concluded that he could possibly get rid of the torment by dashing in the direction from which it seemed to emanate. A mile a minute!

She choked back the hysterical sobs which caught at her throat. Never had she known a bass so strong. Between Horseshoe and Long Island runs a gut, nine or ten feet deep. The bass kept to this.

He came toward the boat, passed it, and continued straight on toward Kingston, some few miles away, no stop over evidently. His destination was Kingston. The line began to sing again and the girl's fingers stung.

"Hold him now!" shouted Cranford, more excited than he had ever been before. "Make him fight you. Don't let him run again—ah!"

The tiger broke, shaking the line savagely and twisting in mid air.

Four times he clove the water, and then he began to come in on his nose, as they say, fighting wildly every inch of the way, for life and liberty, mayhap for his wife and family, for he is the only fresh water fish who has a family and who protects his young valiantly, even ferociously—no scoundrelly cannibal like the brook trout.

The girl's throat ached, her eyes, her arms.

When the fish turned over on his side she put the net under him, but she had not the power to lift him into the boat. Uncle Billy had to bring him in, and proceeded to do so with a "Ha, ha!" and a "Ho, ho!" and a "Whut dy' know 'bout that?"

"Oh!" murmured the girl, closing her eyes for a moment.

"Well done!" cried the happy Cranford. "It's half after 12—time for lunch."

Uncle Billy hauled out his drawer seat and pawed about for the scales. The great black fellow beamed to and

fro on the hook.

"Great Jee-hoss! phat! Five pound, two ounces!" he announced.

"Splendid!"

"Till mount 'em both," declared Uncle Billy. "An' mebbe th' boys back at th' village won't squint some when they sees 'em! Oh, my!"

In the very center of Horseshoe Island there lies a circular shallow pond, with the inlet at the head.

Out of the magic channel the two boats flew, skirting the island and presently entering the haven—pines and maples and a beautifully pebbled beach, upon which the victors were landed.

And what was more natural than that they should ask to see the fish placed side by side?

"A great world, isn't it?" said Cranford, holding out his hand.

"Sometimes," she answered. She accepted the handclasp, but she avoided his eyes. Why?

"I've fished twenty years up here, but I never saw two bass like that in one day."

"Bravo!" She was sorry now.

"Ner me, neither," put in Uncle Billy. "I never see a bass fight harder 'r longer. She's got youn, Mr. Cranford—th' one y' lost two year ago. I thought at first you'd hooked 'im. But that's him!"

"I have a plan," Cranford said. "I'll tell you what. It will be like flying in the face of Providence to fish any more today. After lunch we'll take a jaunt over to Kingston and prow about for melons. We can come back by the way of the canal and put a duck, maybe a teal or two."

"Kingston?"

She sprang up, animated, the vital reason for her being here at all coming to life again. "Good! I've been wanting to see the quaint old town. How long will it take us?"

"Half an hour."

"And can I bring back a pair of shoe-strings?"

"Surely; Uncle Sam will not mind that."

Cranford laughed, then grew sober. What would she say when she learned his despicable business? Very soon he would have to tell her—would have to tell her, for the simple reason that a man ought to have no secrets from the woman who is to be his wife.

A great flame seemed burning in his heart—primordial, had he but known it—to fend off the world from her, to battle for her, to conquer something for her. Diana Wynne. It might or might not be her name.

No matter. He had his own name, and he could give her that. And the marvel of it all was, ten days ago he had not known of her existence.

After lunch Lester carefully wrapped the big fish in the napkins, piled the excess luggage into his boat and, with a cheerful wave of his hat, set off for home.

Billy's boat was larger. Cranford sat with his back to the old guide and never looked at anything but the girl's exquisite face; talked without being able to recollect one word of the conversation, heard the sound of his voice detachedly, as if it belonged to some one else.

"This one day," thought she, "I'm going to forget everything and just be happy."

"And a fortnight ago I didn't know her!" thought he.

At a quarter to 3 the Navarre bumped into the jetty, and the two young people jumped ashore.

"We shan't be gone more than an hour, Billy," said Cranford. "Get a crate of melons, if you can find any good ones." Cranford and Miss Wynne proceeded up the main street.

"How quiet these inland towns are," the girl said. "People go about easily—no rush, no hurry, as if some one was always trying to get somewhere before some one else. Some day I'm going to bury myself in a small village and never go away again."

"How about winter, when?"

He stopped abruptly, his gaze leveled across the street.

"What is it?" she asked.

"A man I think I know just entered the hotel over the way. Will you please stand here for a moment? I wouldn't miss seeing him for anything in this world," grimly.

"Go, by all means. You will find me in the bookshop next door here."

Cranford ran swiftly to the hotel. The man was nowhere in sight. The bar also was deserted.

Cranford sought the billiard room to find only a sleepy attendant.

He had seen Smead rise from the veranda chair and hobble into the hotel. And what was Smead doing up here?

He swung on his heel and made for the bookshop.

Smead. He was sure of it. The owner of the dark eyes stroked a scarred chin, rose and strolled into the bar from behind which a big man in gray flannels was just emerging, his face writhed in a grimace of pain.

"Old friend of mine, eh? Oh, there you are, Don. Where'd the fool go?"

"Bookshop over the way."

Smead flumped out to the elevator and the two of them went up to the former's room.

"You've done it, now, all right," snarled Don. "He would have been as blind as an owl. He was just peaceably fishing, and now the sight of you has put a bee in his bonnet. This isn't the kind of a health resort for

your size, and he'll realize it and watch and pry and nose about till he stumbles upon something. I'm going over on tomorrow's boat with Fagin."

"There was a woman with him," rumbled Smead.

"Did you see her face?"

"No. What are you going to do?"

"Put Cranford where he will not bother any one. Oh, I shan't hurt him; just hide him till we are out of the way. I told you at the start that so long as he saw no familiar face he wouldn't suspect anything. I told you to stay in New York."

"Who's running this affair?"

"I am," answered the other curtly. "I'm not going to sit still and see you make a hash of the game. Oh, I get your view. You don't trust your dutiful son. No more do I trust you. But this is my game, and I'm going to play it out my way. Don't leave the room till after dinner. He'll be gone by that time."

A rumble from Smead.

"Don't waste your breath, papa. When this deal is off the board we'll split and go our ways. All you are really good for is bamboozling the chaps who come into your roulette rooms. Stick to that. You're a marked man now."

"You're an insolent puppy!"

"Chip of the old block. Now I'm going to keep an eye on him till he gets into his motorboat. I want to make sure that he gets away."

Later he saw Cranford and the girl come out of the bookshop.

As Cranford gave the girl his hand to the boat the young man with the scarred chin saw her face in full. Clever as he was, alert always, watchful, iron nerved, the unexpected sight of that face shocked him into uttering an ejaculation.

The girl turned her head. Their eyes met.

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HARMON

Harmon, Feb. 7.—William Edson of Hamilton drew grain to the local market Tuesday.

Christopher Smith of Nelson was a business visitor here Tuesday.

William Camery, our constable, fell on the slippery walks a few days ago but escaped serious injury.

Miss Clara McCune of Sterling was in Harmon Wednesday to attend Mrs. Kugler's funeral.

Reuben Conklin and wife from near VanPetten attended Mrs. F. H. Kugler's funeral.

Charles Kugler and wife returned to their home at Sycamore being

called here by the death of Mrs. F. H. Kugler.

Ernest Veivin of East Grove was a caller in Harmon Thursday.

W. E. Hopkins of Hamilton township transacted business here Thursday.

Rev. Phelps, presiding elder of the M. E. church held quarterly conference in the local church Saturday.

Mrs. Michael Finn of Marion township was a caller in Harmon Friday.

Dr. Jennings, Rock Falls dentist, was a professional caller in Harmon Friday.

Edward Dillon of ship was a caller in Harmon Friday.

James R. McCormick has bought what is known as the Stone farm adjoining the village. The Woodman hall stands on one corner of this land. The consideration was \$125 per acre.

Mr. Crevl has moved his household goods to the residence of his wife's parents. They expect to go to Colorado and if they like it will take up their residence there.

William Keifer will move off the farm he lives on next month. He will sell off his stock and agricultural machinery at a public sale soon.

Contractor Jacob Rhodebaugh has the Michael Blackburn house in Marion township enclosed and will soon be ready for the plasterers.

LeRay Wadsworth of Nelson township was in Harmon Saturday on business.

Edward Marion was a caller in Harmon Saturday.

The tax collector has been quite

busy the past with people coming in and inquiring the amount of their taxes. They are considerably higher than they were last year.

Jack Drew has been suffering much the past several days with neuralgia in his head.

DEVELOPING PERITONITIS

J. Robert Eyer, a son of Mrs. Daisy Eyer Reichard of Van Buren avenue, who was operated upon last Tuesday for appendicitis, is developing peritonitis but is resting as well as can be expected. Miss Winkler of Sterling is the nurse in charge.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. B. H. Gagstetter and Mrs. George Carbaugh left today for Dy-sart, Ia., to attend the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. John Thiel, who died Sunday and will be buried Wednesday.

Miss Gracia Rogers is spending a few days in Chicago.

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The undersigned having decided to move away will hold a closing out sale at his residence 3 1-2 miles south and 2 miles east of Harmon, 3 1-2 miles west and 3 miles south of Walton, 10 miles northwest of Ohio Station, on Wednesday, Feb. 16, 1916. The following described property, to-wit:

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Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Sawes Reset. "There's one thing that's certain," says old Mr. Peck. "A bull on the stove is worth two on the neck." —Cincinnati Enquirer.

And here is one spiled By old Uncle Jack: "A 'crick' in the field is worth two in the back." —Youngstown Telegram.

The Wise Fool. "A man should always try to keep ahead of the game," observed the sage. "You never went hunting, did you?" asked the fool.

Wuff! The barber had a little dog. He called the doggy Noodle. When asked its pedigree he said, "Oh, it's just a shampooed." —

Our Rulers. "And do you elect all of your rulers by ballot?" asked the foreigner. "Not all of them," replied the American. "Our wives are wished on us."

Them Good Old Days. In days of old, when knights were bold. They wore tin suits that tinkled. And it could rain with might and main. But those suits never wrinkled.

Paw Knows Everything. Willie—Paw, are there any self made men? Paw—Well, there's Dr. Mary Walker, my son.

Just Like That! A regular cutup was young Willie Tidd. He waved at a strange girl and said, "Oh, you kid!" The girl looked him over and, cool as you please, said, "When did your family get out of the trees?"

B-r-r-r-r-r! Dear Luke—Make a place by the hot stove in the club for Icy Coldiron of Frozen creek, Breathitt county, Ky.—A. C. Barrow, Mount Sterling, Ky.

Ready. Time was when he would sit and cuss. Words would not come to Bligher. But he bought a carmine ink and thus became a red-dy writer.

Well, Well! Dear Luke—You seem amazed that blackberries are red when they are green. But did you ever see a black cow eating green grass and giving white milk which makes yellow butter?—H.

Luke Is Proud of His Gaskins. Luke McLuke is a rich brownish bay of almost solid color, sixteen and one-half hands high; has a fine, bloodlike head; clean, muscular neck; heavy chest and barrel and immense quarters of splendid finish. He is heavily muscled all over, one of his points being his gaskins, which resemble those of Henry of Navarre.—Dispatch From Saratoga.

Cincinnati papers please copy.—New York Evening Telegram. Write Your Own Head on This One. Dear Luke—Iva Dyme has just been married to Owen A. Quarter.—H. B. M., South Bend, Ind.

Names Is Names. Iona House lives at Hamden, O.

Things to Worry About. There is believed to be more unexplored land north of the arctic circle than land that has been mapped.

Our Daily Special. You can't keep a good thermometer down—or up.

Luke McLuke Says: Once a week mother will serve father his breakfast with a smile, and she will insist on straightening his tie and brushing the back of his coat, and she is in such a good humor that father can't understand it until he happens to remember that it is Saturday morning and that Saturday is pay day.

The trouble about being a breadwinner is that you are also expected to bring home cake.

The world has a kind of sneaking admiration for the man who goes wrong and takes his medicine in a manly way. But it always wants to take a swift kick at the man who whines that he was "led into temptation."

The old fashioned girl who used to iron herself a clean waist before she went to church on Sunday now has a daughter who can't go to church because the dry cleaner didn't bring back her waist on Saturday.

The divorce records prove that love at first sight isn't always love by a darn sight.

Don't squeal. Just look around you and you will see some poor devil whose lot in life makes yours look like a morris chair on Easy street.

Why is it that the bright kid the proud father is always telling you about always has an off day when you meet it?

What has become of the old fashioned young folks who used to go to singing school at night?

If they ever invent an automobile that will run on hot air there are a whole lot of speed bugs in this country who will never have to purchase any fuel.

Men are grand promisers. Lots of women who have been married for fifteen years are still waiting for the piano they were to get as soon as the honeymoon was ended.

The Orange Judd Farmer and the Dixon Evening Telegraph, both one year by mail for \$3. Send draft or check to B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., Dixon, Ill. 721f

"LEAP YEAR" JUSTICE ASKED TO FIND GIRL

Young Man Accepting Free Marriage Offer Wants Mate.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 8.—Justice Stone of Clinton, who recently announced that he would wed free of charge any couple which admitted that the girl had done the proposing, will have a chance to live up to his agreement and more.

Charles Charron of Manchester, Mo., object matrimony, has informed Justice Stone that he was ready to become a leap year groom as soon as the justice could find a girl who would ask him for his hand.

Now Justice Stone is combing the countryside for a young woman who is ready to stand on her leap year rights.

PERSISTENCE WINS A WIFE

Illinoisian, Aged 77, Takes a 72-Year-old Bride.

Pana, Ill., Feb. 8.—Daniel Dawdy, seventy-seven years old, and Mrs. Elizabeth Flesher, seventy-two, were married at Findlay. Dawdy attempted to wed Mrs. Flesher three months ago, but was prevented by his conservator.

It is the third wedding of each.

Crow Attends School.

Carlinville, Ill., Feb. 8.—A crow belonging to a student of the north-side school at Carlinville has been attending school so regularly the teachers believe he is trying to say his A-B-C's when he sits in the window and utters strange sounds.

Trying Out Gary Plan.

Quincy, Ill., Feb. 8.—Quincy's Garyized modern school building has opened. At the new Jefferson school building, the Gary system will be given a trial. If the new system proves a success, all schools in this city will be so operated.

Third Community Club Organizes.

Larchland, Ill., Feb. 8.—The third community club to be organized in Warren county has been formed. It is located at Larchfield and has seventy-five farmer members. The topic for the first debate was "woman suffrage."

Will Build Schoolhouse.

Warren, Ill., Feb. 8.—The proposition to build a new schoolhouse and a bond issue in the sum of \$31,500, to supplement funds already in the treasury for the erection of the building, carried at Warren.

SALE DATES

Feb. 10.—W. A. Naylor, closing out sale, 2 1/2 miles south of Nachusa, Ill. F. D. Kelly, Auctioneer.

Feb. 12.—Stoner & Rimly, Durco hog sale, Henry, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auctioneer. Monday, Feb. 14.—Chas. Scheffler, public sale, on Capt. Dysart farm, 6 miles northeast of Dixon on the Daysville road, 3 miles north and 1/2 mile east of Nachusa.

Monday, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Chas. Harrison, closing out sale, 5 1/4 miles south of Harmon, 8 1/4 miles northeast of Walnut, 1 1/4 miles northwest of Ohio, Plumley & Hewitt, Auctioneers.

Ernest Velven, Wed., Feb. 16.—3 1/2 miles south and 2 miles east of Harmon, 3 1/2 miles west and 3 miles south of Walton and 10 miles northwest of Ohio.

Wednesday, Feb. 16.—Charles Barton on Asa Judd farm south of city limits, Dixon, Ill., on Peoria road large closing out sale. D. M. Fahrney and Geo. J. Fruin, Auctioneers.

J. H. Gayman & Son.—2 miles west of Milledgeville, 16 miles northwest of Sterling, 7 miles southwest of Chadwick, 5 miles north of Coleta. Wednesday, Feb. 16.

Feb. 17.—S. E. Eakles, registered Pole cattle & Durocs. Geo. Fruin, Auctioneer.

Friday, Feb. 18.—Mathias Myers, sale of personal property in the village of Woosung. D. M. Fahrney, Auctioneer.

Jan. 19.—Closing out sale, 6 mi southeast of Dixon, 1 1/2 miles north-east of Eldena, on Pat Duffy farm. L. E. Etnyre, F. D. Kelly, Auctioneers.

Monday, Feb. 21.—J. U. Weststead, 1334 Loveland Place. D. M. Fahrney, Auctioneer.

Feb. 22.—Fred Lord. A Public sale, 2 1/2 miles north of Dixon on the Sterling road. Fruin, auctioneer.

Feb. 23.—Percy Fruin, Durco brood sow sale, Oregon, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auctioneer.

J. H. Drew—Cow sale, Feb. 23. Wednesday, 1 mile north of Dixon, opposite Colony grounds; on car line.

February 24.—Brant Mathias closing out sale, three and one half miles east of Dixon on the Dr. Ives farm. George Fruin, Auctioneer.

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Illinois Pioneer, 93, Dies.

Mount Carmel, Ill., Feb. 8.—Rozander Smith, ninety-nine years old, the oldest resident of Wabash county, died near Benton of pneumonia. He was formerly prominent in politics as a Democrat.

Third Agricultural Short Course.

Pontiac, Ill., Feb. 8.—The third annual agricultural short course opened in the armory at Pontiac. It will continue through Thursday. The annual banquet will be held Thursday.

MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain: Mixed Wheat 43 Oats 42 43 Corn 30 72

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South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.

213 Southern Exp. 11:10 a. m.

212 Clinton Exp. 6:10 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp. 10:06 a. m.

124 Local Mail 6:10 p. m.

120 Local Exp. 8:19 p. m.

Freight Freight* 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

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leaving Dixon. *Daily except where

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East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 8:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 p. m.

28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.

18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

10 11:19 a. m. 2:00 p. m.

20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.

4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

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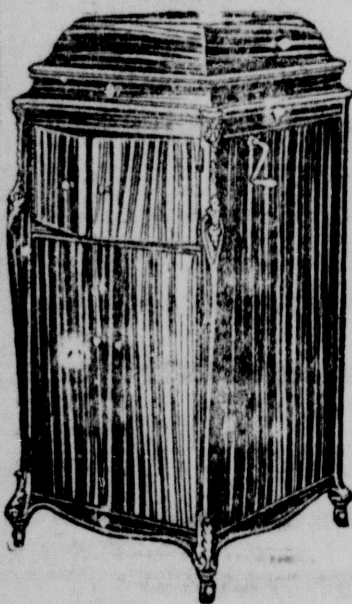
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FOUR STOCKMEN DIE IN WRECK IN IOWA

Rear End Collision Near Dunlap
Telescopes Caboose.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Feb. 8.—Four
stockmen riding in the rear car of
an extra freight on the Chicago &
North Western railroad were killed in
a rear-end collision about two miles
from Dunlap, Iowa.

The dead are: George Beachler,
Boone, Ia.; J. G. Nelson, Stanhope,
Ia.; Alexander Waite, Fenton, Ia.;
man supposed to be John E. Johnson,
Talmadge, Ia.

A defect in the air brake of the
first train was believed to have caused
the accident. The second train, also
an extra freight, rounded a curve and
collided with the first train, which was
stalled.

The rear car, in which the men
were riding, was telescoped. Only me-
ger reports of the accident were re-
ceived, telegraph wires being down in
the neighborhood of the wreck.

PHEASANTS NOT QUAIL FOES

Wallace Evans Says Birds Do Not Try
to Kill Each Other.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 8.—"Pheasants
are not destroyers of quail." This was
the positive statement made by Wal-
lace Evans of St. Charles, who oper-
ated one of the best game farms in
the world and who is recognized as an
authority on game birds.

"I have been breeding pheasants on
a large scale for the last twenty
years," said Evans, "and I have yet
to find a single case where pheasants
have either killed or interfered with
any of the varieties of quail such as
Bob White, mountain quail, etc."

DOUBLE WEDDING IN FAMILY

Father and Daughter Take Mates at
the Same Ceremony.

Decatur, Feb. 8.—John C. Cox of
Wapella, and his daughter, Miss Syl-
via Cox, sixteen years old, were prin-
cipals in a double wedding at Decatur.
The ceremony was witnessed by Mr.
Cox's divorced wife, now married
again.

The new Mrs. Cox was Miss Pearl
Day of Birkbeck, and is just two years
older than her stepdaughter, who be-
came the bride of Edgar L. Jackson,
nineteen years old.

STUDEBAKER IN WAGE RAISE

South Bend Plants Boost Pay and
Reduce Hours.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 8.—Effective
March 1, the working hours of the
Studebaker corporation will be re-
duced from fifty-five to fifty hours per
week, divided into nine hours a day
and five hours on Saturdays. All piece
rates and hour rates will be increased
10 per cent.

This action affects 4,500 men and
will cost the corporation about \$300-
000 per annum. The present payroll
for the 4,500 employed is about \$300-
000 per month.

CONCESSIONS IN LUSITANIA CASE

Controversy Practically Settled,
Says Stone.

NO INSISTENCE ON WORDS

U. S. Waives Demand for "Illegal"—
Germany Agrees That Reprisals
Shall Strike Only Enemy—Promises
to Refrain from Imperilling Neutrals
—Believe Matter Ended.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Chairman
Stone of the senate foreign relations
committee said after conferences with
administration officials that it was
his impression that the Lusitania case
was "practically settled." He did not
go into details, but indicated that
some announcement might be given
out for publication within the next
few days.

Administration officials let it be
known that a mere choice of words
will not be permitted to stand in the
way of success of the Lusitania nego-
tiations, and that the United States
will not insist on the use of the word
"illegal" or "disavowal."

Germany has agreed that reprisals
must not be directed against any other
than subjects of an enemy. The ex-
pression is offered by Germany to
take the place of the phrase contain-
ing the word "illegal" in the draft of
the Lusitania agreement now under
consideration.

Wants U. S. Aid for Free Seas.

It also became known that Germany
expressed the hope that it may have
the opportunity to co-operate with the
United States in some action looking
toward the freedom of the seas before
the end of the war. This statement is
taken in high diplomatic circles to im-
ply that the Berlin government sees
no occasion to await the cessation of
hostilities before settling that issue.

Furthermore the German govern-
ment refers to the British blockade of
Germany as being inhumane, calls at-
tention to the fact that neutral ves-
sels have been affected by the efforts
of the British government to starve
Germany and puts forth the conten-
tion that the German retaliation in
the war zone around the British isles
is justified by the actions of Great Bri-
tain. There is no assertion that the
reprisals are legal.

As has been previously stated, Ger-
many says in the communication that
the killing of citizens of the United
States was without intent and that the
method of conducting warfare in the
war zone around the British isles has
been changed out of regard for the
long standing friendship between the
United States and Germany, and be-
cause American lives were lost.

No New Demands, Says Lansing.

Secretary Lansing denied that new
demands had been made in the Lusit-
ania case at a time when the Ger-
man government considered the nego-
tiations virtually at an end. He was
speaking of the Berlin dispatches
quoting references by Dr. Zimmer-
man, German undersecretary of foreign af-
fairs, to "new demands."

BRITISH ARE NEAR CAPTURE

Constantinople Says Garrison at Kut-
el-Amara Is Without Supplies.

London, Feb. 8.—The British forces
trapped by the Turks at Kut-el-Amara
are near surrender, according to Con-
stantinople dispatches. An official
report says they are short of both food
and ammunition and cannot hold out.

The Constantinople dispatch adds
that a report from Baghdad states that
a wireless message from the com-
mander of the beleaguered troops,
sent to the relief expedition that has
tried in vain to reach Kut-el-Amara,
appealed frantically for assistance,
saying that the British force was on
the verge of starvation and that the
supply of ammunition available would
last for only a week.

BERLIN HAS TAKEN 1,429,171

This Number Prisoners in Germany

Alone, Is Announcement.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—"A total of 1,429,171
enemy soldiers to date are prisoners
of war in Germany," the Overseas
News agency announces.

"This is not inclusive of prisoners
made by German troops and left in Aus-
tria-Hungary in order to shorten the
transport."

Hereford Breeders' Association Meets.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 8.—The Ameri-
can Polled Hereford Breeders' associa-
tion began a two-day meeting here. A
sale and exhibition was held at the
fair grounds. About 100 breeders of
fancy stock were here.

Belgium Seizes All Ships.

Brussels, Feb. 8.—All ships flying the
Belgian flag have been requisitioned
by the Belgian government to carry
relief supplies. This action was taken
at the request of the relief commis-
sion.

Morgenthau Sails.

Copenhagen, Feb. 8.—Henry Morgen-
thau, American ambassador to Turkey,
has sailed for America for a short va-
cation.

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